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BATTLE IN MUD

Newport - Cardiff Game Drawn

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Oct. 18. Although rain fell all through the match, and the result was inconclusive, the first of the four Cardiff-Newport games was far more enjoyable than one dared to hope on such a wet and miserable day.

There is an atmosphere of almost raucous enthusiasm all round these Cardiff-Newport games. In spite of the rain there were at least 6,000 spectators, who barracked the referee, the Cardiff line-men, and Mr. J. Turnbull with cheerful persistency all through.

It is unnecessary to explain why the referee and line-men were barracked, though it must be added that the barracking was quite unjustified. Turnbull's putting-in of the ball synchronised so perfectly with the swing of the Cardiff hooker's foot that the crowd felt there must be some trick about it. So there was, but it was perfectly fair.

The game had two phases. In the first half, when good football was difficult, but not impossible, Newport had slightly the better of it, because they were cleverer behind the scrum. Watkins handled admirably, and one clever piece of interpassing with Johnson neatly hoodwinked the Cardiff defence.

Still, Cardiff drew first blood when Skym hurried himself over the line, and though Rees quickly equalised with a penalty goal, Newport could not score again, though they continually threatened to do so.

In the second half passing, and even dribbling, became useless as a means of progress. Both packs were mud-bound, and all their strenuous strivings seldom moved the ball more than a few yards either way. Nevertheless, fly-backs and punts, aided by inevitable fumblyings, made the ball move up and down the field, and maintained the excitement.

Winter, following up his own kick, appeared to have touched down in his spectacular dive over the Newport line, but the referee ruled otherwise. Hereabouts Cardiff seemed likely to snatch a victory, for they contrived to keep a slipping foothold in Newport's territory, but then Thomas adventured a cross-kick, which bounced off Hughes' chest, and in a flash Newport swarmed down the field and forced a scrum near the Cardiff posts.

Newport got the ball, and might have pushed their way over to victory in the manner described in the text-books, but instead they heeled it, someone fumbled, and Cardiff kept the ball out of danger until the final whistle. A wet day is always the test of a good full-back. On Saturday both were admirable.

ROYAL WEDDING RING

Welsh Gold To Be Used

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Oct. 17. London jewellers are now making Princess Marina's wedding ring from pure Welsh gold.

Some tons of gold-bearing quartz were sent to London from the Prince Edward and Gwynedd Mines, Merionethshire, and the ancient Roman gold mine at Eumpaint, Carmarthenshire, to be crushed and refined at the Royal School of Mines.

The residue of the gold is to be handed to the Lord Mayor of London for the Grested Colliery Disaster Fund as the gift of the gold miners.

Duke Designs Necklace

The Duke of Kent has just given instructions to a celebrated firm of jewellers in St. James's to set the necklace and bracelet which are to be his wedding gifts to Princess Marina.

The head of the firm told a reporter that the design was drawn by the Duke himself.

The two pieces will consist of 372 pearls from the collection in the possession of the royal family, and a number of fine diamonds which the firm are supplying.

The diamonds are to be cut like emeralds, square instead of round, a form which Princess Marina particularly likes.

BUCKFAST ABBEY'S JUBILEE

Visitors to Buckfast Abbey tomorrow will be participating in a jubilee, for it is exactly fifty years ago that the foundation-stone was laid.

Since that October day in 1884 there have never been more than five members of the Benedictine house engaged at one time on the work of building. Nor have they ever discarded their habits. Whether scaling heights or carrying hods, they retain their scapulars.

Recently the church has been enriched by the gift of an enormous corona lucis which hangs in the choir. There is difference of opinion as to whether or no it detracts from the beauty of the interior.

Monk's Next Task

The monks are now engaged on raising the height of the central tower. When that is done they will set about providing themselves with a cloister and monastic house in place of the improvised buildings they inhabit at present.

Though originally a German house and still having a good proportion of Germans in the community, Buckfast Abbey is tending to become British owing to the operation of the Aliens Restriction Act.

COMING OF AGE

Highland Chief's Son

(Special Air Mail Service)

Edinburgh, Oct. 17. Aeneas Ranald Donald M'Donnell, born in 1913, attains his majority this year. Although his family have for about 100 years ceased to own Glengarry, his father is recognised as 21st Chief of his ancient race.

The heir to the chieftainship is the elder son of Aeneas Ranald M'Donnell, C.B.E., for many years British Consul at Tiflis, Russia, and formerly Vice-Consul at Baku.

The first of the race from which this family, so distinguished in Scottish history, derives—of whom authentic account exists—is Somerled, King of the Isles, Lord of Argyll and Kintyre. His distant descendant, Aeneas M'Donnell, 9th Chief of Glengarry, was created a Peer by Charles II. at the Restoration in 1680, as Lord M'Donnell and Arras, in recognition of his loyalty, for which he had suffered forfeiture under Cromwell. Having no family, the Peerage became extinct on his death, in 1680.

A Notable Personage

Alastair M'Donnell, 11th Chief, a distinguished soldier, was created a Peer by the exiled James, which creation was, of course, invalid. One of his brothers was killed at Killiecrankie, at which battle Alastair was the bearer of the Royal standard.

A notable personage was Alexander Ranaldson M'Donnell, 14th Chief, the prototype, it is believed, of Pergus MacIvor in Sir Walter Scott's "Waverley." He maintained until his death in 1822 the style of living of his ancestors. He erected a monument with seven sculptured heads at a spring beside Loch Garry to commemorate the "ample and summary vengeance" inflicted in 1661 on the seven murderers of two young M'Donnells by Keppoch.

By his marriage with a daughter of Sir William Forbes, Bart., Scott's banker friend, he left at his death a succeeding son, Aeneas, educated at Eton, who was compelled to sell Glengarry.

"BODY LINE"

Bowes' Humour

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Oct. 17. William Bowes, the England fast bowler, has a Yorkshire sense of humour.

He is now recovering in London from an operation and tells of a visit he had from a county cricket opponent.

"I asked — to come along," explained the visitor, naming a well-known batsman, "but he wasn't having any. He said: 'What, go to see Bill in hospital after he has been trying for three seasons to put me there? Not me!'"

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THE OLYMPIA SHOW

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In general, it has been justifiably a year of consolidation rather than of radical change. That there is much which is novel is not to be gainsaid, but fundamental alterations—save perhaps for examples of independent wheel-suspension and extreme forms of streamlining—are exceptional. In the main, machines are more efficient—reducing all-in costs or giving more power than formerly for the same expenditure; more attractive inside and out; more comfortable and more safe; quieter in operation; better and more fully equipped, and simpler to control and maintain; in fact, they afford greater value, and the range of choice is wider than ever.

The four-cylinder engine is well holding its own in the small car class; the six-cylinder unit, which is the most widely used in the whole range, is increasing its popularity at the lower end—and this is exemplified in the 12 horse-power class—while the eight-cylinder, though not common on British cars as yet, well holds its place at Olympia.

The suspension of engines and power units has made still further progress, and some form of flexible mounting which largely avoids vibration and noise from being transferred to the frame and the coachwork is in common use. This feature undoubtedly has prolonged the life of the four-cylinder engine. The sports car is to be seen everywhere, and there is hardly a manufacturer in this country who does not now offer sports editions of his standard productions. These usually consist of lightened chassis and coachwork with sometimes higher gearing and a specially tuned engine which has a raised compression with a special cylinder head and cams. A shorter wheelbase helps to reduce weight and increase power.

LABOUR-SAVING

The increase of automatism in maintenance and especially in control continues. Automatic ignition, automatic mixture control, thermostatic governing of the engine temperature, and constant-coil control are all to be found on a number of cars at Olympia and apart from features connected with the transmission. Automatic ignition saves the driver the use of one lever; thermostatic mixture control, like thermostatically regulated water or air-cooling temperature, saves time in warming the engine and wear in the cylinder walls, which results in minimizing expense. A dynamo with constant-voltage control avoids undue battery deterioration, and automatic re-engine starting may well save an inexperienced driver from getting fussed in traffic.

The standard car of reputable and modern make runs quietly, but further improvement will be noted in 1935 models by more efficient design throughout the engine and gearing, and the use of larger or dual expansion chambers for the exhaust. It is much to be hoped that manufacturers will realize that for the few—young, careless, and inconsiderate—who enjoy a sharp bark in their exhaust and exaggerate it by bad methods of driving, such as by racing up on the indirect gears, there are many who are annoyed. There is no reason to-day for even the sports car to have an exhaust which irritates the passer-by.

In the interests of safety coach-builders are giving wider and clearer views; accessory makers are providing in sensible form standardized indication traffic signallers with simple control, often with automatic return, dual screen-wipers which are arranged with their driving boxes or motors to leave a clear screen when not in use, sun visors, and more melodious horns calculated rather to warn than to frighten, fog-lights, and better bumpers, while the chassis builder has again lowered his frame for greater stability, and has improved his braking, steering, and suspension, and given more automatism in the actual control of the transmission. Moreover, pedal controls are being standardized so that there should soon be no more confusion in this respect.

MIDDLE TRANSMISSION

In the interesting matter of the middle transmission there really are two schools of thought; they embody the synchromesh type of change-speed and the self-changing pre-selective kind. These are used largely and with variations. The system of synchromesh has been rightly widened, and it is

usually extended to cover the three forward speeds in a four-speed box, and in some British gearboxes for 1935 the arrangement is applicable to all forward gears. This leads to greater quietness and, by increased confidence and simplicity, to higher safety. Synchromesh is much used with a free-wheel, and in some cases the production is completed by automatic clutch control, which is effected by withdrawal of the clutch by vacuum or depression created in the inlet pipe of the engine whenever the accelerator pedal is released. The preselective self-changing gearbox has been improved in its top-gear mechanism, and some British firms are employing it with an automatic clutch which works with weights or shoes in a drum with centrifugal action. There is, of course, too, the popular combination of the pre-selective self-changing gearbox with hydraulic transmission between engine and box by the fluid flywheel. It is my opinion that this last system of transmission has done more than anything to stir up manufacturers to whom it is not available to improve their own devices.

Frames, as I have said, are set as low as possible. This affords a low overall height of car without sacrificing head clearance and gives attractive appearance and stability on the road, especially at speed. The customary modern form of frame is that known as cruciform, in which there are X-type members stiffening the whole of the centre and helping to preserve body quietness. The latest arrangement consists of making the fore part of the frame of box instead of only channel shape, and this gives extra rigidity.

BRAKING

Brake systems have undergone some simplification in their mechanism, the hand-operating lever is now usually of the pull-up kind and placed between the front seats, and while the hydraulic brake is as popular as ever the mechanical brake tends more to standardization on self-energizing lines with cable operation.

As to suspension, independent wheel-or at any rate front wheel springing is at last making its way to the fore, and Olympia shows a number of interesting examples. The hydraulic shock-absorber—with improvements such as thermostatic control—has helped to sustain the life of the carriage spring, and further development taking place is to be seen in progressive suspension which goes under various names, such as dual-rate and vari-load springs. These are arranged to allow a light action for small loads and low speeds, and the heavier one to come into play when loads are increased, speeds raised, or both.

There is nothing of note to mention as to steering except that actions generally are light without reversibility, and that where front wheels are sprung independently there is in some cases independent steering. The provision of conveniences, such as an accessible toolbox and permanent jacks or special head-pieces for the jack on or near the springs have at last become standardized.

As to body types the six-light saloon with the sliding roof and the four-seater coupé are the most popular either in standard or sports classes, while the sports chassis continue definitely to revive the open car in modified form. Designers as a whole have given greater width and more leg room, low overall height with increased head clearance and flat flooring, better protection for spare wheel and luggage by the outboard back panel, and the prevention of the entrance of fumes in the body with really adequate means of ventilation. In many cases, in addition to sun or sliding roof, a screen which will open, and ventilators in the sides of the scuttle, some device, by movable glass wings, by separately and outwardly moving sections of the front windows, by windows which can be partly slid rear-wards, or by hinged quarter lights, allows individual ventilation without draught.

STREAMLINING

In the streamlining of cars some of the greatest interest of Olympia lies. There appear to be two opinions about streamlining, and in consequence there are cars which are streamlined from the front and very often throughout, and cars which have all wind-resisting surfaces and angles forwardly rounded and angled to

MOTOR JOTTINGS

NEW WIND-SCREEN

Toughened Glass Is Adopted as Standard

It seems to have escaped notice that most of the car manufacturers have changed over from "laminated" glass to what is known as "toughened" glass. The latter is a single sheet of plate glass the outer surface of which has been hardened by heat treatment in an electrical furnace. Laminated glass, on the other hand, is a sandwich of two pieces of glass with a sheet of celluloid or nitro-cellulose material between.

Toughened glass will bend without fracture to quite an appreciable extent. It cannot discolour or develop the blisters familiar in laminated glass which is a few years old. But do not attempt to cut it with a diamond, or drill holes in it, or it will shiver instantly into millions of little pieces resembling bath salts. Sometimes it remains in position but honeycombed all over by cracks through which, if the windscreen is tilted, it is impossible to see. Cases have been known of its sudden disruption caused by a stone thrown against the windscreen with considerable force by the rear tyres of another car.

As witness the startling experience of a competitor at the M.C.C. meeting at Brooklands a few weeks ago which was seen by many people. He was travelling at over 90 m.p.h. when a piece of concrete struck the windscreen, making a hole large enough for the driver to see through, which was fortunate, as the rest of the screen was as opaque as frosted glass.

Now if a toughened glass windscreen receives a blow which causes it to develop a network of cracks, push the pane out by hand. This is quite easy, as in its cracked condition it has no more resistance than a piece of tissue paper, the blow causing the whole pane to fall outwards in the form of small grapes. This hint is given as an instruction to drivers in one of the Services which has adopted toughened glass for its vehicles.

If you do not know whether your windscreen is of toughened or laminated glass look at the trade mark in one corner which gives its designation.

SUIYUAN-SINKIANG BUS SERVICE

Kueihua, Oct. 26.

By arrangement between the Suiyuan and Sinkiang Provincial Governments, omnibus service on the entire Suiyuan-Sinkiang Inter-Provincial Highway will be resumed on November 1, it is announced by the Suiyuan-Sinkiang Motor Service Company.

When an omnibus arrives at Hami, eastern Sinkiang, from Kueihua, provincial capital of Suiyuan, passengers will alight and board a special omnibus operated by the Sinkiang Provincial Government, for the journey westwards to Tihua, provincial capital of Sinkiang, the announcement states.

According to a message from Lanchow, provincial capital of Kansu, postal communication between Hami and Tihua has been resumed following the restoration of normal conditions in eastern Sinkiang.

Kuo Min.

upward smooth air flow tending off behind without depression" is aimed at. The British manufacturer, with his conservatism, has largely abstained from exaggerated designs, and, although streamlining in reasonable form will, I believe, become standardized, it is useless to pretend that in extreme form it is of any practical benefit to the owners of the lesser-powered cars. Wind-resistance at the higher speeds and where the opposing area is of considerable size is undoubtedly important, because it needlessly absorbs power which means expense without benefit. Moreover, resistance increases more than in direct proportion to speed. Streamlining, therefore, where it reduces head resistance and tail depression or suction is to be encouraged.

STREAMLINING

Tendency Still Growing

The exhibition was in the throes of preparation. Half the cars were sheeted like racehorses and the other half were being wiped and polished for the twentieth time, or laboriously handled into position. One observed that the streamlining tendency still continues, though there is nothing yet to rival the Chrysler with their curious radiators that look like nothing so much as a cow's nose and their headlights sunk flush with the surrounding bodywork.

Bonnetts and radiators as a whole are still on the old lines, but there has been a good deal of experiment, especially on sports saloons, with streamlining at the back. There are several examples of cars which slope in one unbroken curve from the crown of the roof to the back numberplate. In spite of their shape, many of them contrive to be surprisingly roomy inside without looking unwieldy big. Streamlining in front mainly takes the form of queer headlights and sidelights, which have grown long fins like comets' tails. One model has developed what looks like an embryo rudder or vertical keel at the back, presumably another device for reducing wind-resistance. An ingenious idea on another car is a driving mirror set in the back of the sidelight on the off-side wing.

The prevailing colour fashions in expensive cars this year, so far as one could see them to-day, seem to be soft blues and greys and dull silver, but vivid reds, greens, and blues are apparently still to distinguish the small sports car from its less noisy brothers.

LORD HALLSHAM'S SALARY

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Oct. 17.

Not many people are aware of the fact, recalled in the Finance Accounts just issued, that Lord Hallsham draws a pension in addition to his salary as War Minister. This he receives in respect of his term of office as Lord Chancellor from 1928 to 1929.

An ex-Lord Chancellor is entitled to a pension of £5,000 a year. But since Lord Hallsham already receives £4,000 as War Minister, he takes only £1,000 as pension.

Salary and pension combined make him the highest-paid member of the Cabinet after Lord Sankey, who has £8,000. Other first-rank Ministers receive £4,000.

Political Pensions

An ex-Lord Chancellor's pension is given for judicial, not political, services.

In theory, a number of ex-Ministers are entitled to claim pensions of between £800 and £2,000 a year under the Political Offices Pension Act of 1869. In practice these pensions are never claimed now.

It is ten years since the last political pension was paid. This was to Lord George Hamilton, who drew £2,000 a year as ex-Secretary for India. He resigned his pension in 1924, three years before he died.

The only two living ex-Ministers who have drawn political pensions are the Earl of Balfour (President of the Board of Trade) and Lord Gainsford (Postmaster-General).

Both resigned their pensions of £1,200 a number of years ago.

Ex-Ministers applying for a pension had to show that their income from other sources was "not sufficient to maintain their station in life."

Camera Club Comment

Fond Mother: "Will the photograph be anything like him?" Photographer: "Yes, madam, but we can easily alter that."

The Sign

Mistress: "So you think your young man's intentions are serious?"

Maid: "Yes, ma'am. He is beginning to let me pay when we go out."

HE AND SHE AT THE OLD CINDER PATH

For three long broiling hours in the sun He had been patiently showing She how to drive an automobile. Then he piled out and stood cooking on the side lines while she made a tour clear around the practice field all by herself. She was smiling sweetly and was eminently pleased with herself as she returned to He. Just before she stopped, which she did in a series of bumps, she fooled the gears so as to produce a sound only like that made in a boiler factory when it is in full operation.

HE: "Wotnelli! Tryin' to bust that car?"

SHE: "Oh, did you hear that noise, too? Wasn't it funny?"

HE: "There's only one funny noise in this car—that's you. Now, listen, don't stop again unless you lose a couple of wheels and don't keep lookin' at your feet all the time. Do you think yer feet knows where to go, or do you think the auto's on a railroad track? And don't keep going around in them fool circles; cut your corners square. Do you think the curb-stones have no corners? Say, if you won't make all the traffic cops climb trees I'm a Chinaman! Oh! Oh! Killed the engine again... &*&*&—"" take 'er outta speed when you step on the starter! Take 'er outta speed, take 'er outta speed."

SHE: "But I'm not speeding. I'm just standing still."

HE: "Let off yer clutch, let off yer clutch—"

(Tck, tck, tck, such language, such language!)

Much Room

"Was the bus crowded when you came home?"

"No, I had a strap all to myself."

Musical Note

Professor in Physiology: "This morning we will consider the heart, liver, kidney, and lungs."

Tired Student: "Just another organ recital."

THE MORRIS STAND

The New Eight

Probably the greatest interest in the Morris Stand will centre on the new Eight, for this with the Oxford Twenty are the two models. As a two-door saloon the Eight is priced at £132 10s.; the four-door model costs £10 more, and looks attractive with its dropping waist line. Precision manufacture at a reasonable price is aimed at. The Eight replaces the former Morris Minor, and it has a four-cylinder engine of 57 and 90 m.m. bore and stroke, making the capacity 918c.c. The tax here will be £6 next year. The power unit is mounted on improved equal-poise suspension, the crankshaft runs in three bearings, there are 14 millimetre sparking plugs, and the valves are at the side. The water circulates naturally the oil is under pressure with a special feed for the camshaft driving chain, the carburettor is fed by an electric pump from a 5½-gallon tank at the back, and steering is by cam gear. The fan and generator are combined and held on the top of the detachable cylinder head, and the generator is 4½ in. in diameter and arranged to cut in at low road speeds. The water filter is under the bonnet, the ignition is automatically controlled, and such parts as the make-and-break and distributor and the coil are handy. This Morris chassis has a single-plate dry clutch, and it passes the power to a three-speed gearbox, which has synchromesh for second and top. It is convenient that that filler-plug and dipstick for the box can be reached by moving a rubber cover, and the back axle also has a diprod. The large diameter tubular propeller-shaft is fitted with fabric universal joints with centring steadies, and the spiral bevel-driven back axle is three-quarter floating. A full-length down-swept box-sectioned frame is used with half-elliptical springs, which work with hydraulic shock-absorbers. The four-wheel Lockheed hydraulic brakes are applied by foot, and the rear ones mechanically by hand. The hand-brake has an adjustment by the driver's seat. The engine has a

lot of life in it; about 25.35, and 80 miles an hour can be done on first, second, and top. Although the nominal power is 8.05, the brake horse-power is stated to be 22.5 at 3,800 r.p.m. The overall forward gear ratios are 5.37, 9.72, and 17.13 to one, wheelbase and track are 7 ft. 6 in. and 3 ft. 9 in.

The Ten Four saloon costs £175, and such a car can be run cheaply. The engine is of 1,292c.c. capacity, and the crankshaft runs in three bearings. The valves are at the side, and a special feature of the induction system is the Morris combined air pre-heating cover and cleaner, which also collects fumes discharged from the crankcase breather, and keeps the air purer inside the body. The engine, single-plate clutch, and four-speed gearbox are assembled together and have equipoise mounting with a deep-sectioned down-swept chassis frame, having cross-members for stiffening. The clutch has a cushioned hub, cork inserts, and is automatically fed with oil from the engine. The gearbox has synchromesh for third and top and also constant mesh wheels for these gears; there is an accessible filling orifice and a dipstick tells the level. The propeller-shaft and back axle are like those of the Eight. Steering is by cam gear, the half-elliptical springs are controlled by hydraulic shock-absorbers with improved cold-weather regulation, and there is Lockheed hydraulic four-wheel braking. Here also the back brakes are applicable independently and mechanically; the central horizontal hand lever has an adjuster. The petrol tank at the back holds 8½ gallons.

Movie Fan Abroad

Guide (proudly): "And this—is the Castle of Sternfels."

Tourist: "Yes?" What picture was it built for?"

Guide: "But my dear lady, this schloss was erected in 1392."

Tourist: "Well, I'm not familiar with many of those early films."

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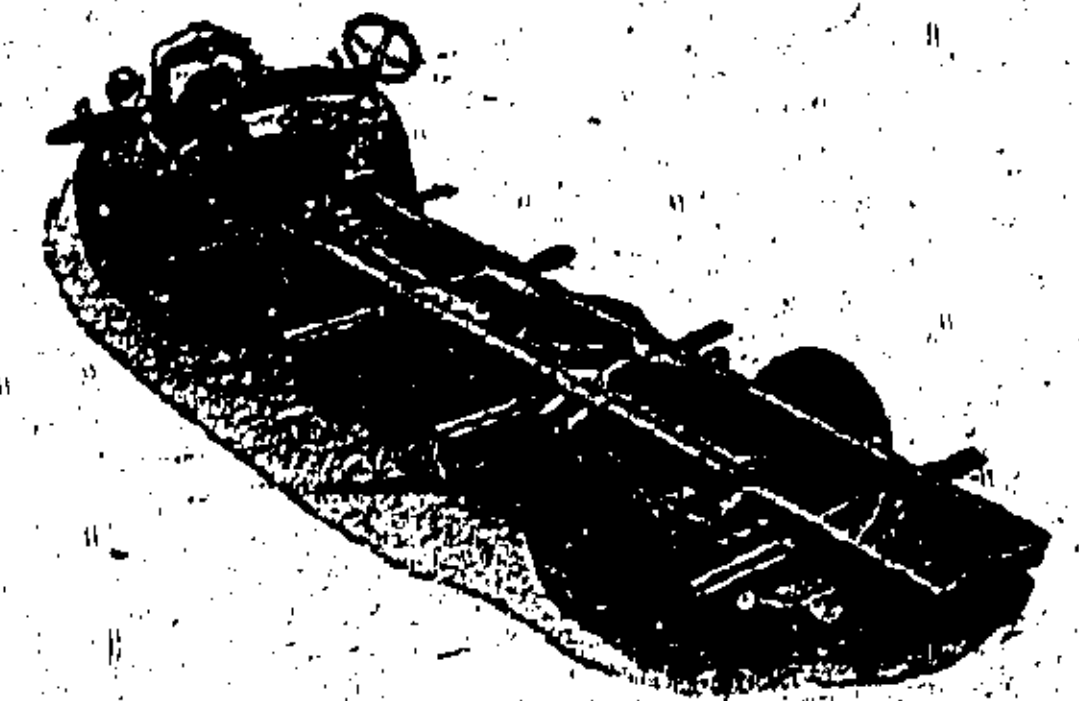
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HOME FOOTBALL

Behind The Scenes

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Oct. 18.

What will Newcastle United do about Ronnie Williams? Welsh enthusiasts are puzzled that Ronnie cannot get a place in the first team at St James', especially in view of his clever display in the international match at Cardiff.

Ronnie had been featuring in Newcastle's "A" team before the international appearance. Other clubs have noted this. They are keeping an eye on Tyneside. It is understood, for instance, that when Manager Andy Cunningham was in Cardiff with Ronnie at the week-end, a gesture was made by Cardiff City about Williams.

Ronnie is very popular in South Wales. He would be an undoubted attraction in the Cardiff City team. But it is doubted whether the Welsh club are prepared to offer the right inducement. Others may.

Things have gone wonky with Bradford City since the start of the season. Not that the City are a feeble side as some people would make out. They have been playing pretty but ineffective football over the piece.

A section of the directors feel that changes will have to be made inside the club. A hint of this has gone out in a circular letter issued from Valley Parade to the other clubs. The document tells of players to sell. No names as yet but it is rumoured that forwards and half-backs may be had provided that reasonable inducement is offered.

The Smiths, the Joneses and the Robinsons are great men in all walks. Always some of them are to the fore. Sometimes it's the Smiths. Sometimes it's the Joneses. From what has been heard the last few days it's the Robinsons just now.

One of this large family who is starring is Bernard Robinson, right-half of Norwich City. Other clubs want him. Meanwhile the Canaries say "You might as well try to buy our cathedral."

Remarks like that, however, have been made before. The player concerned has often been transferred.

The other Robinson in the news is Charlie of Stockport County. Like his namesake he, too, is a right-half. It is thought that he is the most taking of all the County players on his recent showings. Playing First Division football in the Northern Section hurriedly, he is. Clubs are "buzzing" around.

It's a funny thing, but we very seldom hear that any of Brentford's forwards are likely to be transferred or that some other club thinks one of these Griffin Park lads would be a welcome addition.

The reason may be that Brentford have let the others know that they have no intention of parting. Certainly the players are attractive enough.

It is now said, however, that Arsenal have been showing a lively interest in Idris Hopkins, the Griffin Park outside-right. Having spent a small fortune on wing-halves, the Gunners are turning attention on this position in their side.

If Idris figured in a big transfer deal Sheffield Wednesday are sure to get their fingers rapped. He was at Hillsborough once but was not highly thought of there. But that's just how Brentford are where they are. Middlesbrough didn't think a great deal of Watson, Scott, Holliday, Muttitt or Mathieson. Brentford do.

No football manager has been busier on the hunt for players in recent weeks than Mr. Neil Harris, of Swansea Town. Neil has tried old haunts in Ireland, but without success. A half-back with Distillery, the club he managed before going to Swansea was his objective in Belfast.

It is also heard that the former Scottish International has been in touch with several First Division clubs regarding certain reserve players. Chelsea were approached regarding Mitchell, the Irish International wing half, who is playing in London Combination football. Inquiries have also gone from Swansea to Leeds United. In each case too much money was asked.

INVESTIGATION OF FISHERIES

Canton, Nov. 3.

It is reported that Mr. Lai Kwok Cheng, head of the party, which was sent to Hainan Island and the South to make investigations concerning fishing and fishing stations, has returned here at the end of last month to make his report to the Provincial Fisheries Investigation Department.

After handing in his report, Mr. Lai and party left for Hong Kong last week on the way to Swatow, Swabie and other places to continue their investigations.

After completing their investigations, it is stated that Mr. Lai will proceed to Toi Shan, Kwong Hoi and all the neighbouring districts, and return to Canton in about two months' time.

Nam Wah Yat Po.

GEN. CHIANG LEAVES FOR KALGAN

Peking, Nov. 3.

General Chiang Kai-shek left by train for Kalgan at 1.55 p.m. to-day, accompanied by Madame Chiang Kai-shek, his adviser, Mr. W. H. Donald, Chinese staff, and Gen. Sung Chieh-yuan, Governor of Suiyuan.

After a brief stay at Kalgan to inspect local conditions, the Generalissimo will proceed to Suiyuan for the same purpose.

From Suiyuan it is considered probable that he will proceed by plane to Shansi province, where it is thought likely he will see General Yen Hsi-shen.—Reuter.

PETITION FOR REMOVAL OF TALLOW TAX

Canton, Nov. 3.

It is reported that the native soap-makers have petitioned the Finance Department for the removal of the special tax on imported Australian tallow.

They explain that the levying of this tax of one dollar per picul is a great hardship, and means life and death to the native soap-makers.

They also explain that it would be impossible for native products to compete against imported foreign soap with benefit to the people and profit to the soap-makers. If the tax is not removed, and besides tallow cannot be used as a food, and the levying of this tax will do more harm than good, owing to the supply and quantity imported for soap-making being so limited.

Nam Wah Yat Po.

ROWING CONTEST IN MELBOURNE

Henley-Yarra, Nov. 3.

The Victoria London Rowing Club eight to-day won the Grand Challenge Cup, defeating the New Zealanders in the final by four lengths in 4 minutes 37 seconds, a second outside the course record.

The race was held in connection with the Melbourne Centenary celebrations and H.R.H. the Duke of Gloucester attended.—Reuter.



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LONDON NOTES

By The Air Mail

(From Our Own Correspondent)

London, Oct. 17.
The armorial bearings of the R.A.F. College at Cranwell, which was opened by the Prince of Wales, are unusually appropriate.

The legend, "Superma petimus," with its suggestion of adventure in the upper air, is only one example of the heraldic ingenuity which has been displayed.

Cranwell's name is derived from the twelfth-century family de Cranwell, whose coat of arms included the three cranes which have been incorporated in the College arms.

As cranes are migratory birds that make long-distance flights, they are appropriate in the representation of an aerodrome which has always been used for Service efforts of this kind.

H.M.S. DAEDALUS

The azure or heraldic blue of the bearings is naturally to be identified with the sky, while the introduction of the figure of Daedalus has a double significance.

Not only is it associated with the mythical Greek who fashioned wings for himself and his son Icarus; it recalls the name given to Cranwell Aerodrome when it was established as a war station of the R.N.A.S.

Its official description by the Admiralty was "H.M.S. Daedalus," and the aerodrome buildings were actually laid out in the form of a battleship.

THE BUCKFAST MONKS

In alluding the other day to the monks of Buckfast Abbey as belonging to a house which was originally German, I had in mind the fact that the first Abbot since the dissolution of the religious houses in 1539 was the former German novice, Dom Boniface Natter.

But the original community which refounded Buckfast was, so far as its professed members were concerned, entirely French. It was they who were concerned with the foundation-stone laid in October, 1834.

The foundation-stone of the church was laid in 1907, and the present church is the work of 25 years—a remarkable achievement, which makes it easier to understand how the medieval builders worked.

On the completion of the tower or possibly before—it is hoped, I hear from Buckfast, to proceed with the building of the chapter-house, a monastery guest-house, and other necessary additions.

OXFORD'S FIRST M.A.

St. Edmund's Hall, Oxford, where the Archbishop of Canterbury opened an extension, has but an exiguous link with St. Edmund of Abingdon, the first known M.A. of Oxford.

The hall was traditionally founded by Edmund Rich, afterwards Archbishop, in 1226, but it came into historical existence only in 1559.

Edmund and Frideswide—with the dubious addition of Aldate, of whom nothing at all is known—fill the short roll of Oxford's saints. Only of Edmund are authentic details recorded, and he was evidently a stimulating character.

"So study," he used to tell his pupils, "as if you were to live for ever; so live as if you were to die to-morrow."

JAMES II. IN TROUBLE

After nearly 250 years, Grinling Gibbons's brass statue of James II. in Roman costume, which stands at the west front of the Admiralty, has fallen a victim to London's smoke.

Yesterday I noticed a man on a ladder applying a brace and bit to the small of his Majesty's back.

Such an indignity called for some explanation.

The London atmosphere, I was told, has eaten innumerable holes into the robe which the monarch is wearing; and the operator was drilling into the cavities like a dentist, and filling the holes in with a suitable composition.

APATHY

Sir Stafford Cripps's complaint that there is too much political apathy in this country reminds me of a definition of that term I once heard given by Sir Charles Fretwell. "Political apathy is the failure of the public to accept politicians at their own estimation."

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

To-day

Thursday, November 6.
Anniversaries and Holidays:—
Election Day, U.S.A.; St. Leonard's Day, Indian New Year.

Cinemas
King's:—"Son of Kong."
Queen's:—"She Loves Me Not."
Central:—"Love Never Again."
Oriental:—"Bottoms Up."
World:—"Murder At The Vanities."

Lee:—"Her Highness Commands."
Alhambra:—"Parole Girl."
Majestic:—"Shadows Of Sing Sing."

Star:—"Little Miss Marker."
Meetings:—English Association, Helena May, Girls' Guild, St. Andrew's Hall, 5.30 p.m.; Craigengower Annual, 5.30 p.m.; St. Andrew's Church Mothers' Union, 2.45 p.m.

Miscellaneous:—Rotary, T.M., Hongkong Hotel, Claims against the Estate of Harry Johnson, due S. & S. Vocational Training, 5.30 p.m.

Moon:—IX Moon, 30th Day.
Principal Mails
Inward from Europe via Siberia, by Chenonceaux, Outward Air Mail for Europe by Chenonceaux, 10.30 a.m.; Steamer, 11.30 a.m.

Sports
Hockey:—Mamak Tournament, Royal Engineers v. University (Sookunpoo), 4.15 p.m.; R.A.S.C. v. Police (U.S.R.C. ground), 4.15 p.m.; Friendly Matches, Y.M.C.A. v. Royal Signals (Y.M.C.A. ground), 5.15 p.m.

Meetings:—Craigengower C. C., 5.30 p.m.; Kowloon Chess Club (Central British School), 5.30 p.m. Sunrise:—6.30 a.m. Sunset:—5.44 p.m.

Tides:—High at 8.50 and 20.35 Low at 2.30 and 14.12.
Wednesday, November 7.
Auctions:—Contents in Bill of Sale No. 16, 1934, China Auction Rooms noon.

Cinemas
King's:—"Son of Kong."
Queen's:—"Aunt Sally."
Central:—"Chinese Picture."
Oriental:—"The Kennel Murder Case."

World:—"Men In White."
Lee:—"The Invisible Man."
Alhambra:—"Parole Girl."
Majestic:—"Shadows Of Sing Sing."

Star:—"Glamour."
Dances:—"Sailors' and Soldiers' Home."
Lectures:—St. John Nursing Detachment, Volunteer Headquarters, 5.30 p.m.

Meetings:—Victoria Chess Club, Lane Crawford's, 5.15 p.m.; Women's Guild, Kowloon Union Church, 10 a.m.; Tao Fong Shan English Service, 8 p.m.; Chinese General Chamber of Commerce, Monthly Committee Meeting, Chambers' Headquarters, 3 p.m.

Miscellaneous:—Debate, European Y.M.C.A. 9 p.m.; H.K. Union Church Social to Servicemen, 7.30 p.m.; St. Stephen's College Prize-giving, 3 p.m.; Whist Drive Seamen's Institute, 9 p.m.

Moon:—New Moon, 0.44 p.m. X Moon, 1st Day.
Principal Mails
Outward for Europe via Suez, by Agamemnon, 1.30 p.m.

Sports
Hockey:—Mamak Tournament, Royal Signals v. H.M.S. Whitshed, 4.15 p.m.; R.A.S.C. v. H.M.S. Keppel (Navy Ground, King's Park), 4.15 p.m.

Meetings:—Victoria Chess Club, (Lane, Crawford's Restaurant), 5.30 p.m.
Social Functions:—"At Home," Ladies' Section, European Y.M.C.A., 3.30 p.m.

Rugby:—Club "A" v. Royal Artillery (Club Ground), 5.15 p.m. Sunrise:—6.30 a.m. Sunset:—5.43 p.m.

Tides:—High at 9.50 and 21.04 Low at 3.12 and 14.44.
Thursday, November 8.
Anniversaries and Holidays:—Beginning of Winter (Li-tung); Ramadan (Month of Abstinence observed by Moslems).

Auctions:—S.S. Cheung On, China Auction Rooms, 3 p.m.
Cinemas
King's:—"Finishing School."
Queen's:—"Aunt Sally."
Central:—"Chinese Picture."
Oriental:—"The Kennel Murder Case."

World:—"Men In White."
Lee:—"The Invisible Man."
Alhambra:—"Parole Girl."
Majestic:—"Shadows Of Sing Sing."

Star:—"Glamour."
Meetings:—Ladies' R.H.G.C., Helena May, 11 a.m.; T.M. Social, Lane Crawford's, 5-7 p.m.; Theosophical Society, 8 p.m.; Women's Fellowship, St. Andrew's Hall, 8 p.m.; N.C.O.'s, Volunteer Headquarters.

Moon:—X Moon, 2nd Day.
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Outward for Europe via Suez, by Agamemnon, 1.30 p.m.

TO-DAY'S RADIO PROGRAMME

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TUESDAY

1-2.10 p.m. (Approx):—European Programme.
1 p.m.—Local Time and Weather Report.

1.03 p.m.—Recorded Programme.
1.30 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletins, Rugby Press News, etc.
1.40 p.m.—A Relay of the Rotary Club Tiffin Speech from the Hong Kong Hotel Roof Garden—Mr. A. B. Reynolds on "Basic English."

2.10 p.m. (Approx):—Close Down.
4-7 p.m.—Chinese Programme.
7-10.45 p.m.—European Programme.

7 p.m.—Closing Local Stock Quotations, London and New York Stock and Commodity Quotations.
7.08-7.25 p.m. Lyric Suite (Grieg) (Op. 54)—Royal Albert Hall Orchestra conducted by Sir Landon Ronald.

1. Shepherd Boy.
2. Norwegian Rustic March.
3. Nocturne.
4. March of the Dwarfs.
8 p.m.—Local Time and Weather Report.

7.25-8.15 p.m.—
Variety.
Piano Solo—Can't we talk it over Piano Solo—Now that you're gone—Carroll Gibbons with his Boy friends.

Vocal—My Songs from the Shows—Marie Burke (Soprano).
Vocal—Musketiers Melodies No. 1—The Four Musketiers.
Waltz—Sweet Hawaiian Dream Girl.

Waltz—Underneath the Blue Hawaiian Skies—The Hawaiian Marimba Players.
Organ Solos—Broadway Thru a Keyhole.
Organ Solos—Take a chance—Terence Casey.

Vocal Duet—Mood Indigo.
Vocal Duet—I cover the Water-front—Layton and Johnston.
Piano Solos—Music in the Air—Medley—Rale da Costa.

8.15-8.28 p.m. Violin Solos by Fritz Kreisler.
1. Rondino (On a theme by Beethoven) (Kreisler).
2. Fair Rosemary (Schon Rosmarin) (Kreisler).
3. Dance of the Marionette (Winteritz).

4. Polichinelle. Serenade (Kreisler).
8.28-9 p.m.—Concerto No. 1 in B flat Minor for Piano and Orchestra (Tschakowsky) (Op. 23) played by Solomon and the Hallé Orchestra, conducted by Sir Hamilton Harty.

1st Movement—Allegro non troppo e molto maestoso.
2nd Movement—Andantino semplice.
3rd Movement—Allegro con fuoco.

9-9.30 p.m.—From the Studio.
Conductor J. Anderson Miller, L.A.R.M. assisted by Lt. Colonel C. H. Kuhne, D.S.O. (Pianoforte).
Ballet—"Sing we and Chant it" (a5) (1595)—Thomas Mosley.

Ayre—"Rest, Sweet Nymphs"—Francis Pilkington.
From "The First Book of Songs and Ayres" (1605).
Allegro in C Minor—(Suite No. 2)—Scriabin.

Lt. Colonel C. H. Kuhne.
Ayre—"Come Away, Come Sweet Love"—John Dowland.
From "The First Book of Songs and Ayres of Four Parts, London" (1597).

Ballet—"What, saith my Dainty Darling?" (a5) (395)—Thomas Morley.
Madrigal—"Fair Phyllis I Saw" (a4) (1599)—John Farmer.
Piano Solos:—
Sarabande (1720)—Anthony Young.

Rigadoon (1785)—Peter Lee of Putney.
An Ayre (1711)—Jeremiah Clarke.
Lt. Colonel C. H. Kuhne.
Motet—"The Silver Swan" (a5) (1612)—Orlando Gibbons.

Madrigal—"Down the Hills Corina Trips" (a5) (1618)—Thomas Bateson.
9.30 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletins, London 1 p.m. Stock and Commodity Quotations.

9.35-10.35 p.m.—
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10.35 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletins, Rugby Mid-day Press News, Further London Stock and Commodity Quotations, followed by New York Opening Quotations.
10.45 p.m.—Close Down.

BERLIN PROGRAMME

9.00 p.m.—Opening Announcement Dja.
German Folk Song.
Programme Forecast (German, English).

6.15 p.m.—Light Music.
9.30 p.m.—Germany's Oldest and Youngest Air Pilots: Hans Grade and Miss Roseliese Zülch.

9.45 p.m.—News in English.
10.00 p.m.—"Music and Love." Selections from the Operetta by Johannes Müller.

11.15 p.m.—News in German.
11.30 p.m.—Variety programme with Dance Music Interludes.
12.15 p.m.—News in English.
12.30 p.m.—Close down Dja.

DAVENTRY PROGRAMME

3.15 p.m.—Big Ben. A Miscellaneous programme.
4.00 p.m.—Meet Tiger Standish. Presented by his Creator, Sidney Horler.
Greenwich Time Signal at 3.15 a.m.

4.15 p.m.—Quentin Maclean, at the Organ of the Trocadero Cinema, Elephant and Castle, London. Homage March, Sigurd Jorsalfar (Grieg). Aloma (Bowers). Spanish Serenade, Lolita (Buzzi-Pecora). Four Indian Love Lyrics (Amy Woodforde-Tudman). One Night of Love (Scherzinger). Dance of the Water Nymphs (from the Opera "Loreley" (Catalani). Tone Poem, Finlandia (Sibelius).

5.00 p.m.—The News.
5.15 p.m.—Close down.

THE HOUSE OF ROTHSCHILD

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It was in the brain of an old man, dying, that the magnificent idea was born—"The House of Rothschild." From a small, forlorn home in "the Jew street" in Frankfurt, that idea went forth to encircle the whole of Europe with a glittering chain of gold. It built up empires. It ended wars. It threw down tyrants, and raised to power and dignity a down-trodden, despised race. It saved a young girl's heart from breaking and made a young aide of the Duke of Wellington the happiest man in the world.

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"My sons, when I go, I leave you in your mother's care," he said in a low, tired voice. "She is wise—far wiser than I am—and good. You will do always as she says, and you will become rich. I have told your mother what I wish." He beckoned them closer. Smiled again at the five young faces leaning tensely toward him.

"Much money is lost in sending gold by coach from one country to another," he went on with an effort. "In times of war, it is seized by the enemy. In times of peace, by thieves. You are five

be safe. His face, against the pillows, grew very white. "Papa," his wife, Gudula, warned, "you mustn't talk any more. The doctor—"

"I am giving advice to our sons, Mama—" Mayer Rothschild took her hand in his, "that the doctor cannot give. Remember—" he looked from her to the five young faces. "Unity is strength. All your lives you must stand by one another. At certain times you will come from your different cities—exchange ideas—seek your mother's advice—as long as she lives."

"I shall be here," Gudula Rothschild put in. "I shall never leave this house—where all of you were born."

"No one brother must be allowed to fall while another brother succeeds," Mayer Rothschild's voice was solemn, earnest. "Your five banking houses shall cover Europe, but you shall be one firm one family—the Rothschilds work always together. That will be your power. And when that power comes, remember the Ghetto. Remember this, before all—that neither business nor power, not all the gold in Europe, will ever bring you happiness—" he lifted himself from his pillow, holding their eyes, holding their hearts with the intensity of his vision. "—until we—our people—have equality—respect—dignity! To deal—with dignity! To live—with dignity! To walk the world—with dignity!"

For a moment there was silence in the room. Silence charged with incalculable forces. Silence fraught with mysterious significances. Then, startled, Gudula felt

dom, managed the business as her husband had done. Already the older boys, Solomon and Amschel and Nathan, had been trained to keep the books. And Carl and James, the younger ones, played at the business of money-lending.



brothers. I want you each to start business in a different city—London, Paris, Vienna, Naples, Frankfurt. Choose the most important centres. So, when money is to be sent from here to London, let us say, you won't have to risk life and gold. Amschel, in Frankfurt, sends a note to Nathan in London, saying: 'Pay so and so—'

"I see—" Nathan put in eagerly. As one of the older boys, he had helped his father with the books, and already knew much of the business of money-lending.

"In your day there will be many wars in Europe," the tired voice continued. "And nations that have money to transport will come to the Rothschilds, because it will

her husband's hand grow limp in her yearning clasp. But still his eyes smiled into hers. Still smiling, he sank back again upon the pillow. Then his eyes closed.

To the five young Rothschilds it seemed incredible that life could go on, apparently unchanged, without that dear, compelling presence. But always business had been the centre and meaning of their lives, and business must go on.

Still on the door of the little house hung the familiar red shield with its weather-worn lettering, proclaiming:

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- 2—How did the Rothschilds become the world's richest and most powerful family of bankers?
- 3—Was it money or love that led the aristocratic young Fitzroy to seek the hand of Rothschild's daughter?
- 4—Who was Nathan Rothschild's sweetheart during all his married life?
- 5—What did the Duke of Wellington say about the War Office?
- 6—Why was Nathan Rothschild willing to break his daughter's heart?

- 7—What was the secret means of communication by which Rothschild baffled Europe before the telegraph was invented?
- 8—How did the Allied Ministers seek to pocket a share of the great French loan without cost?
- 9—What was the House of the Red Shield?
- 10—Who called herself "the mother of half the loans in Europe"?
- 11—Who was the first man in London to get the news from Waterloo?
- 12—Why did Baron Ledrantz hate the Rothschilds?
- 13—What was the death-bed advice the father of the Rothschilds gave his five sons?
- 14—Who called the Duke of Wellington "nosey" behind his back?

Lionel Atwill has been given the second male lead in "The Man who Reclaimed His Head," in which Claude Rains stars.

June Knight has concluded her contract with Universal. The company were willing to renew it on the same terms, but June would not stay without and increase in salary.

TO-DAY AT THE CINEMA

HONG KONG

KING'S:
"Son of Kong"
QUEEN'S:
"She Loves Me Not"
ORIENTAL:
"Bottoms Up"

KOWLOON

ALHAMBRA:
"Parole Girl"
MAJESTIC:
"Shadows Of Sing Sing"

Coming

KING'S:
"Finishing School"
QUEEN'S:
"Aunt Sally"
ORIENTAL:
"Kennel Murder Case"
"Terror Trail"
"Fugitive Lovers"

Violet Kemble-Cooper, a well-known New York stage actress, has been cast as Miss Murdstone in M.G.M.'s "David Copperfield"

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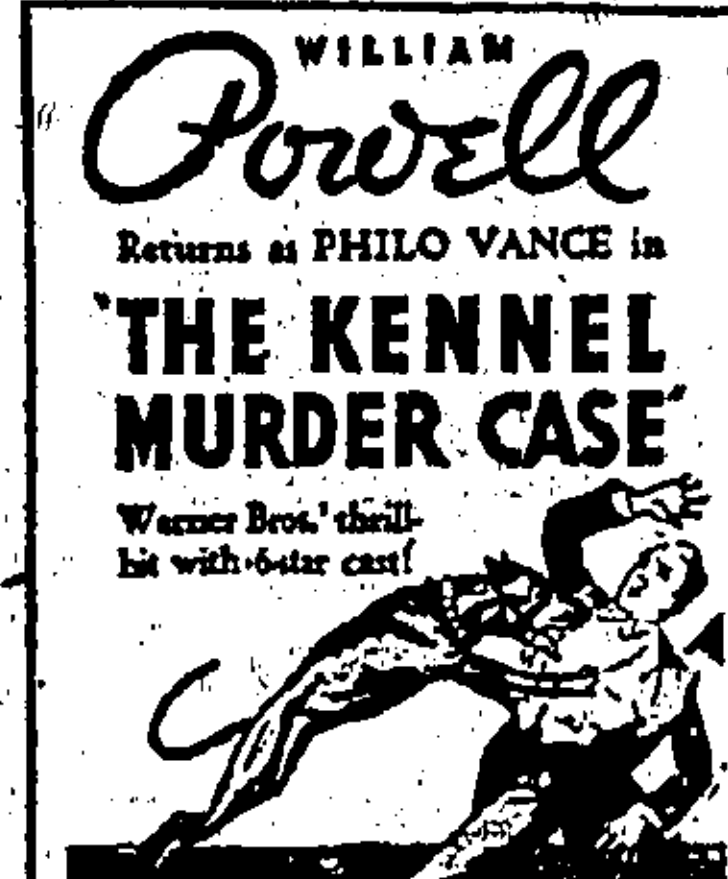
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An Excellent Film

Those who saw that wonder film, "King Kong" were full of it for days and days. Nothing but praise was given the producers for putting out such a marvellous jungle film. That was many moons ago, and now the management of the King's Theatre have something yet more wonderful to offer us—"Son of Kong." As may be seen from the title, this film is a sequel to the one which thrilled us months ago and it would be no exaggeration to say that it is an even more stupendous production.

"Son of Kong" depicts new experiences on Skull Island the lost land of gigantic monsters coupled with a search for buried treasures. Robert Armstrong, the "Dentham" of the original picture again has the leading role but in this film he has Helen Mack playing opposite him instead of Fay Wray. There is a cast of over thirty well-known players in support and on the whole the film is excellent entertainment.

GINGER ROGERS

In "Finishing School"

Ginger Rogers, whose dash and pepper has added much to recent musical movies, is seen as a sporty, high-stepping student whose snappy conversation is good for a laugh a minute. She takes the leading part in RKO Radio's "Finishing School" which is coming to the King's Theatre on Thursday.

As Pony, a girl who knows all the ropes, she is continually finding new ways to break the school

rules, and her chief aim in life is to get away for week-end parties and secret rendezvous with college boys.

Frances Dee, remembered as the Meg of "Little Women," is seen as the lonely, sensitive girl whose life is all but wrecked as a result of the neglect and snobbery of her mother and the school principal.

Bruce Cabot has the role of a young medical student whose love for the girl solves her problem, and others in the large cast are Billie Burke, John Halliday, Beulah Bondi, Marjorie Lytle, Ann Cameron, Rose Coughlan, and Adelyn Doyle. The picture was directed by Wanda Tuschek and George Nicholls.

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Around the Courts

GARDENER'S DEATH CASE CONTINUED

The hearing of the case in which Pun Cho-on was charged with the murder of Chick Wing, a vegetable gardener of Tai Hom village near Kowloon City by arsenic poisoning was continued before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday. The Assistant Attorney General Mr. J. A. Fraser is prosecuting while the accused is not legally represented.

Mr. John Readie, Assistant Veterinary Surgeon was called who testified that on the 7th August he received four puppies and one chicken, all dead, in one basket. He opened them and removed the stomachs and intestines and placed them in a sealed tin and sent it to the Government Analyst.

Mr. Arthur Jackson, Assistant Government Analyst, related that on October 3, he was present at the Kowloon Hospital Mortuary in which from a coffin certain organs and part of the body of a human being were taken and placed in various containers which he handed to the Government Analyst on October 8.

The next witness called was Mr. John Louis Tetley, the Government Analyst. He told the court that on August 7 he examined a watery fluid and after testing he found there were traces of arsenic.

On August 8 he was handed two sealed packages and after analysing the first package which contained a part the stomach and of a scalp he found that it of a grain of arsenic was present. The total present in the whole package was 1/4 grain. The second package contained portion of internal organs, liver, kidney, lungs, part of a heart and spleen and found 1/20 of a grain of arsenic present.

With reference to the stomachs of the puppies and the chicken sent on August 8 he found 1 grain present.

The total amount of white arsenic found in the human material submitted to him for analysing was 4 1/2 of a grain and according to his estimation that this in a body of 10 stone would represent a total of 33 grains. He made no allowance for loss through vomiting or excretion.

The case will be continued on Wednesday afternoon.

CHARGE AMENDED

Convicted on a charge of larceny by finding, Tang Hung, unemployed, was sentenced to two months hard labour by Mr. Wynne-Jones at Kowloon Magistracy yesterday.

The defendant was originally charged with the larceny of a leather suitcase containing 24 articles of clothing and two books, the property of Li Hung On, an actor, and Ngan Shi Cheong, a married woman from the Po Hing Theatre, but after hearing the evidence, his Worship amended the charge to one of larceny by finding.

It was stated that the defendant was seen by a Chinese detective carrying a bag on the end of a pole near No. 366 Nathan Road on Sunday afternoon. The detective followed him to the corner of Park Street and Saloon Street, where he stopped and questioned him. The defendant stated that he found the bag in the stairway of a house in Mow Lam Street. Investigations at the house in Mow Lam Street revealed that nothing had been stolen, but the clothing was later identified by the complainants.

The defendant was stated to have had two previous convictions.

CONTRACTOR IN TROUBLE

Before Mr. Macfadyen at Central Magistracy yesterday, Lam Tin, 22, master of the Tin Lai Paint firm of contractors was charged with attempting to obtain sums of \$1.35 and \$5, respectively, from the accountant of the Wai Chau Tea-house, the master of the Tin Fuk Wine shop, and a fook of the Tak Heung Tea-house, by pretending that he was an interpreter of the Sanitary Department and had been instructed to collect the sums on behalf of the department.

In applying for a remand of 48 hours in police custody, Detective Sergeant Baldwin, for the prosecution, mentioned that "there has been a lot of this going on" and that it was possible the police might clear up a few cases.

In connection with this case, Sin Chi Ming, unemployed seaman, was charged with impersonating a police officer for the purpose of effecting the release of Lam Tin.

"We think there is some connection between the two of them," remarked Sergeant Baldwin, in applying for a remand.

Both defendants were remanded for 48 hours in police custody.

AMMUNITIONS ON STAIRCASE

The discovery of 200 rounds of ammunition by a small girl on the staircase of No. 115, Des Voeux Road Central during the week-end attracted the attention of Fung Kwan Lum, a cloth-artist, who went up to examine the contents of the parcel. While he was doing so, however, a Chinese detective happened to be on the scene and arrested him.

Fung was produced before Mr. Macfadyen at Central Magistracy yesterday on a charge of being in possession of the ammunition without a licence from the I.G.P.

The defendant pleaded not guilty and stated that he worked at the place where he was arrested. He explained that he only went up to examine the contents.

Detective-Inspector J. Murphy, for the prosecution, remarked that it was a rather peculiar case. The defendant lived in Yau-mat district. He applied for a remand of 48 hours, with reasonable bail.

The Magistrate: Why do you ask for the remand?

Insp. Murphy: We want to go further into the case; there may be something at the back of it.

The Magistrate: It seems you really think that he is innocent, but you want more time to find out. When was he arrested?

Insp. Murphy: On Saturday. We have got the small girl. Mr. Booth told me that I should go into the case and find out more about it. It is not usual to find ammunition lying in a stairway.

Inspector Murphy agreed that the defendant had committed no offence if he merely picked up the ammunition without knowing what it was.

Defendant, said he lived "from hand to mouth," and could not raise bail.

He was, however, remanded for 48 hours in custody.

LANGUAGE DIFFICULTY

Two charges, one for resisting arrest and the other for disorderly conduct in Battery Path on Saturday were preferred against three French sailors from the cruiser Primaguet before Mr. Thomson at Central Magistracy yesterday.

The defendants were Alfo Lucien (20), Chaudron Louis (20), and Le Gall Gabriel (18), and the complainants were Sergeant McCarthy, P.C.B. Sher Mohamed, and Lance Sergeant Ko Tai Sing.

When the case brought up, however, Mr. L.H.C. Calthrop, Assistant Superintendent of Police, applied for the charges to be withdrawn. He said that there were two reasons for him taking such a step. The first was that it was chiefly a matter of misunderstanding owing to the difficulty of the language, and the second was that Lieut. Christo, who was present in Court, had assured him on behalf of the Captain of the Primaguet that the defendants would be dealt with on board ship for disorderly conduct on shore and also for having assaulted the police. Lieut. Christo agreed with him that the defendants had absolutely no right to refuse to go to the Police Station, and also that they were undoubtedly under the influence of liquor.

His worship granted the application, and the defendants were discharged.

It will be recalled that trouble arose when the three defendants took sedan chairs from the bottom of Battery Path to the Peak Tramway terminus in Garden Road. There they rendered a \$5 note to the chair coolie, who, not being able to change it, refused to accept the money.

One of the sailors was then alleged to have assaulted the coolie. Sergeant McCarthy was quickly on the scene, offered his services in getting the money changed, but not being able to make himself understood, he attempted to conduct the defendants to the Police Station. Trouble arose on the way to the station, and eventually assistance came and the men were taken to the station and locked up.

With three previous convictions an ex-banished, Chung Po was at Central Magistracy yesterday sentenced to four months hard labour for stealing a woollen pullover from No. 185, Des Voeux Road Central.

On a charge of bribing a police officer, Chau Koo, a shopkeeper, was fined \$25 by Mr. Wynne-Jones at Kowloon Magistracy yesterday. It was stated by Sergeant Davies that on November 3 he approached defendant for his name as he was taking out a summons against him for causing an obstruction. De-

GOLF

The Annual Society Match

After allowing for some refusals from selected players the teams to represent St. George's and St. Andrew's Societies at Fanling on 18th November are as follows:—

St. George's.—O. E. C. Martin, T. A. Pearce, A. E. Lissaman, P. H. Scoones, S. H. Dodwell, N. L. Smith (Captain), F. J. de Rome, G. S. Archbutt, A. G. I. Bowker, H. H. Mundy, L. Goldman, J. L. Shellshier.

Reserves.—A. B. Raworth, A. D. Humphreys.

St. Andrew's.—I. W. Shewan, K. S. Robertson, R. Young, D. J. Gilmore, D. S. Edward, J. B. Ross, R. K. Valentine, W. A. Stewart, A. T. Lay, E. W. Kirk, K. S. Morrison, A. McKellar.

Reserves.—A. B. Purves, W. J. Jamieson.

FRENCH FRUIT STEAMER

The fruit-carrying steamer Alice Robert, 3,500 tons deadweight, 290 ft. long, built at Nakhkov Skibsvaerft for the Compagnie Franco-Coloniale de Navigation, Paris, has run trials. She is intended for the carriage of fruit from French West Africa to French ports, and has insulated holds, and a refrigeration installation. Accommodation is provided for eight passengers. The propelling machinery consists of a "steam-motor" of 1700 h.p. taking steam from two oil-fired boilers. On trials a speed of 16 knots was attained. This is the seventh fruit-carrier delivered by the Nakhkov yard in the last three years.

"THE SOCIAL FRONT"

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press")

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Paris, Nov. 5. The French Reds will henceforth be known as "The Social Front" instead of the Common Front, a name which was adopted after the events of February 6 as a result of the Communist Socialist merger. "The Social Front" are holding their first congress at Villeurbanne, a particular Red outskirt of Lyons at present. Transocean Kuo Min.

BATTLE OF TANGA RECALLED

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright))

Potsdam, Nov. 4. The German officers and soldiers who took part twenty years ago in the battle of Tanga during the defence of the Colony of German East Africa, now known as Tanganyika, assembled at Potsdam from November 2 to 4 to renew old comradeship. At Saturday's conference it was decided to erect in Potsdam a monument to the German East Africans. On Saturday night Dr. Schnee, formerly Governor of German East Africa, spoke about the praiseworthy achievement of General von Lettowit Vorbeck who at the battle of Tanganyika defeated a force eight times the strength of his own. Lettowit Vorbeck spoke feelingly in memory of his comrades who fell in defending the German possessions in Africa.

On Sunday, the central feature of the festivities was a display of the film "Die Reiter von Deutschafrika," that is "Riders of German East Africa."

The next reunion of the veterans will be at the end of July, 1936 in Danzig. Transocean Kuo Min.

Defendant failed to do so, but offered him 40 cents instead.

For smoking in court, Chi Yuen was fined \$3 or, in default three days, imprisonment by Mr. Wynne-Jones at Kowloon Magistracy yesterday. Defendant pleaded that he did not know the regulations.

Sentence of three months hard labour was passed by Mr. Macfadyen at Central Magistracy yesterday on Ng Kiu Chan who was charged with stealing a fountain pen from a pocket of a man in Des Voeux Road Central. In passing sentence, his Worship commented on the prevalence of such cases.

STATE FUNCTION IN RUSSIA

Splendour To Be Revived

(Special to "Hong Kong Daily Press")

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Moscow, Nov. 5. For the first time since the Communist Revolution, the former Imperial Palace situated behind Kreml walls will be the scene of splendour and brilliancy, when the Soviet Government will give a state ball on November 7 to the Diplomatic Corps and others on the occasion of the anniversary of the Revolution.

On former occasions these receptions took place in the mansion of an ex-millionaire, but the property has since been purchased by the American Embassy.

The ball room of the former Imperial Castle which will now open its gates for the first time since Russia turned Bolshevik, is one of the most ostentatious ball rooms of its kind in all Europe. Kallinin will act as host. Transocean Kuo Min.

MACEDONIAN TERROR

Crimes Committed By "Imro"

(Special to "Hong Kong Daily Press")

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Sofia, Nov. 5. The authorities are leaving no stone unturned in order to unearth the crimes committed by the notorious "Imro," meaning the Inner Macedonian Revolutionary Organisation which it is confidently believed is also behind the murder of King Alexander and the foreign minister Barthou.

It is stated that four bodies have been exhumed in the woods near a Macedonian town, Gorna Djumaja which have been the victims of the Macedonian terrorist organisation. Among those are the bodies of an official of the secret state police Atanasoff who had mysteriously disappeared some years ago and his mistress. Both had been shot dead. Transocean Kuo Min.

PRICE SUPERVISION COMMISSARY

(Special to "Hong Kong Daily Press")

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Berlin, Nov. 5. The Reich cabinet at a meeting on Monday forenoon decided to appoint a Reich commissary for the supervision of prices, the Burgomaster of Leipzig Dr. Goerdeler being chosen for the position.

The cabinet further decided to prohibit all street and house to house collections not connected with the Winter Relief campaign. Transocean Kuo Min.

TURKISH AND GRECIAN TOBACCO

Sales Board For Foreign Markets

(Special to "Hong Kong Daily Press")

(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1894. Received, November 5, 4.30 p.m.)

Ankara, Nov. 5. An interesting feature of the trade negotiations now under way between Greece and Turkey would be the establishment of an official Turk-Greek sales board which would have to supervise and effect the sales of Greek and Turkish tobacco on foreign markets in order to avert the competition of the Turkish and Greek tobacco merchants. Transocean Kuo Min.

"HI, NELLIE"

Coming To The Alhambra

"A newspaper story that's different!" That is the report preceding the Warner Bros. production, "Hi, Nellie" starring Paul Muni, which is coming to the Alhambra Theatre on Thursday.

One of the "different" features of "Hi, Nellie!" is its star. No previous film with a city room background has featured a player of the theatrical importance, both on stage and screen of Muni.

For Muni himself, "Hi, Nellie!" is a departure, too. Following the powerfully dramatic but sombre characterizations he has contributed to the screen in "I Am A Fugitive," "Scarface" and "The World Changes," his role in this fast-moving, lightly handled and breezy story is said to represent an amazing contrast.

For the first time in his motion picture career, the star essays comedy, in a fast action picture that combines thrills and hilarious laughter. As the hard-hitting managing editor of a big New York daily, he finds himself suddenly in the "dog house." He has failed to handle a sensational story as his publisher commands. The "dog house" in this instance is the "Heart Throbs" column of the paper. He has to turn out daily dreams of "lovelorn" copy and the cruelest cut of all is his by-line: "Nellie Nelson."

But this ace newspaperman holds to his creed. While he writes balm for broken hearts, he still keeps working on the story that has brought him low. That is, on his theory of the story—which has to do with the sensational disappearance of a public figure. His solution of the case and his restoration to the publisher's esteem provide the swift and dramatic climax.

Glenda Farrell, in her first assignment as a straight leading woman on the screen, is seen opposite the star. She plays a girl reporter whose long feud with the ace newspaperman ends in romance. Other well-known players in the cast are Ned Sparks, playing a "dead pan" reporter; Donald Meek, as a fifty-year old office boy; Edward Ellis, Kathryn Sergava, Berton Churchill, Dorothy Le Batre, Douglas Dumbrille, Robert Barrat, Robert Cavanaugh and George Meeker.

"Hi, Nellie!" was adapted from the widely read short story of the same name which Roy Chanslor contributed to "Liberty" not many weeks ago. Sidney Sutherland, veteran newspaperman, who, by careful count, has worked on twenty-nine dailies, and Abem Finkel, wrote the screen treatment.

"Hi, Nellie!" is the third picture in which Mervyn Le Roy has directed Paul Muni. It is expected to set new box-office records for the already successful combination.

KENNEL MURDER CASE

At The Oriental

Who killed Archer Coe? That is the most baffling question that Philo Vance, the famous and debonaire detective character created by S. S. Van Dine, and impersonated by William Powell in the "The Kennel Murder Case" (which will be showing at the Oriental Theatre on Wednesday and Thursday), ever has been called upon to answer.

Archer Coe is found dead in his bed room with a revolver in his hand and not a sign of a struggle and with the door locked. He has a bullet in his brain and a scalp abrasion.

The police consider it a case of suicide until Philo Vance walks into the scene and through a series of deductions, proves that it is a murder and not a suicide and then proceeds to discover the murderer.

Not only is "The Kennel Murder Case" one of the most mysterious of all of Van Dine's stories in which seven persons are found to have both a motive for the crime and an opportunity to have committed it, but it carries a strange love tangle which is eventually unraveled by Vance.

The picture has a strong cast in support of Powell and includes such noted players as Mary Boland, Eugene Pallette, Ralph Morgan, Helen Vinson, Jack LaRue, Paul Cavanaugh, Robert Barrat, Arthur Hohl and Henry O'Hall.

DUE IN THE COLONY**Descendant Of Queen Victoria**

When the "Conte Rosso" arrives in the Colony on November 15, one of the passengers on board will be, H.R.H. Carl Eduard Duke of Sachsen-Coburg and Gotha, Duke of Albany.

The Duke is a descendant of Queen Victoria, and therefore a distant cousin of H. M. King George.

The Duke is on his way from Japan to Germany. He is a prominent supporter of the Nazi movement and is in fact an SA group leader, the so-called Brown Shirts, the uniformed followers of Hitler. He was born in Claremont in 1884 and was educated in England.

Accompanying the Duke is Von Levelzow, the Counsellor of the German Legation, who after a brief holiday in Germany will take up his new post as German Consul in Colombo. Other members of the Duke's suite include his Chief A.D.C. Nord, and his Private Secretary, Von Grolman.

H.K. POLICE RESERVE

ORDERS BY THE HON. MR. T. H. KING, INSPECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE

ARMISTICE DAY

The following Police Reservists will parade for duty in connection with the Armistice Day celebrations on Sunday, November 11:

Chinese Company.—15 members of the Chinese Company to parade at Central Police Station at 9.00 hours to draw arms and 30 members to parade at the Chinese Company Headquarters at the time arranged. Dress: White Uniform, Sunhats, Belts and Truncheons.

Indian Company.—30 members of the Indian Company to parade at Central Police Station at 9.00 hours to draw arms. Dress: White Uniform, Sunhats, Belts and Truncheons.

Flying Squad.—12 members of the Flying Squad to parade at Central Police Station at 9.00 hours to draw arms. Dress: White Uniform, Sunhats, Belts and Truncheons.

Emergency Unit Reserve.—15 members of the Emergency Unit Reserve to parade at Central Police Station at 9.00 hours. Dress: Khaki Helmet, Khaki Tunic, Khaki Shorts, Puttees, Belts, Hosiery and Revolvers.

CHINESE COMPANY

Training Course (Part II).—All recruits of the Chinese Company who have not yet passed Part II of Training Course will attend at the Chinese Company Headquarters on Tuesday, November 6 at 12.30 hours for instruction.

FLYING SQUAD

Revolvers Course.—Members of the Flying Squad will fire the Part III Course "A" at the Kennedy Road Range on Wednesday, November 7 at 17.15 hours under Sub-Inspector A. L. Hopkins. Only those detailed will attend.

EMERGENCY UNIT RESERVE

Revolvers Course.—All members of the Emergency Unit Reserve who have not yet passed the Part III Course "A" will attend at the Kennedy Road Range on Friday, November 9 at 17.15 hours under Sub-Inspector A. L. Hopkins.

C. CHAMPKIN, Acting, D.S.P. (R.)

Hong Kong, November 5

PENALTY OF MATRIMONY

The Union Society of the City of Westminster at whose tri-jubilee dinner Mr. Duff Cooper spoke last night, has a rule which states that "whenever a bachelor or widower takes unto himself a wife, he shall entertain the members with a dinner."

The last recorded occasion on which the rule was enforced was in 1876.

When the society was founded in 1784 it was known as the Union Society of St. James, membership being limited to "31 select inhabitants of the parish" who were to dine seven times a year. The subscription was £5.

The name is supposed to be derived from the Union Tavern, a famous eighteenth-century inn which stood on the site of Abchurch-lane.

To-day there are fifty-four members, all resident or in business in Westminster. They hold four dinners a year.

"KAHO" VICTIM OF PIRATES**Taken To Hong Hai Bay**

After a lapse of almost a year, pirates are again active on the China Coast, their latest victim being the China Merchant's S.S. Kaho.

The vessel, according to a brief message received in the Colony by the ship's agents, was pirated on Sunday morning in Hong Hai Bay, about sixty miles north of Hong Kong.

The message also stated that three men were carried off. The ship was anchored off Sami Point and left the anchorage at 6.40 yesterday. No details of the loot carried away by the pirates is to hand.

The Kaho is a cargo ship, having been built in 1892. She is of 1,588 tons gross, and is officered by Chinese. She plies regularly between Shanghai, Foochow, Amoy and Swatow and it is believed that the ship is now on her way to Swatow.

THE PRESIDENT CLARIFIES

In a clear statement of his policy regarding the American merchant marine, President Roosevelt cleared up much of the storm of controversy which has been raging over the recent utterance of Secretary of Agriculture Henry A. Wallace, which apparently advocated the ending of government assistance to merchant shipping in this country.

The American merchant marine will be built up and carried forward as an integral part of the Nation's economic life and no advantages along this line will be surrendered to foreign nations, the President said in discussing the Secretary of Agriculture's statement.

Wallace favours an American merchant marine and was presenting only one side of an economic picture, the President said. He explained that all the Secretary did was to call attention to the fact that the more difficult the United States makes it for foreign ships to carry American goods the more difficult it is for these countries to buy what we have to sell.

The President stated that Wallace's statement was perfectly true from an economic standpoint but added that the Secretary had failed to present the other side of the question—national defence. In enumerating the items dealing with national defence, he explained in substance:

For the national defense the country needs a certain number of merchant vessels as an auxiliary to the Navy.

In the event of war, in which the United States is not a part, foreign merchant vessels would be eliminated.

When the United States did not have a line of ships, American shippers would be "squeezed" by paying higher transportation rates.

In discussing the merchant marine situation, the President made it clear that he was prompted in reaffirming the Administration's policy because the statements of Secretary Wallace had not been portrayed in such a way as to show he was merely expressing the economic view-point. He revealed that he had congratulated the Agriculture Department head for setting forth this economic principle during his train ride upon returning from Speaker Rainey's funeral.

Wallace had stated that he believed this country should allow other nations to carry on shipping activities because that would give them another way to pay for goods imported from the United States. He declared in this letter to chairman Bland that he believed the United States should devote itself to developing natural resources rather than trying to compete with other nations on the high seas.

Pointing out that what Wallace said about foreign nations being able to buy more if they carried our goods was perfectly true, the President said: "We can not sell goods to other countries because other countries can not pay for them."

The President added that, although this was a strong argument against creating a strong fleet of American merchantmen to carry our goods, the reasons he previously cited in favour of a merchant marine far outweighed the other side of the issue.

HOTEL "BOY" ASSAULTED**Allegations Against Detective**

The summons against a Chinese detective Leung Chiu, C477, for common assault on Kwan Chan, a "boy" employed at Gloucester Building was continued before Mr. Macfarlane at Central Magistracy yesterday.

Mr. M. A. da Silva appeared for the complainant, while Mr. R. C. H. Lim, instructed by Mr. J. M. Hall, was for the defence.

According to the prosecution, the incident took place at Kau U Fong at 2 a.m. on September 9 when the defendant came up to the complainant and demanded to search him. After the search when nothing was found the defendant enquired of complainant what his occupation was and on being told that he was employed as a "boy" in Gloucester Building, accused him of being a procurer. The complainant indignantly denied this and the defendant it was alleged then seized hold of his hair and started pummeling him on the back with his fist. When the complainant shouted out "save life," the defendant pushed him to the darker portion of the street against the wall and, snatching the handkerchief which the complainant had in his hands to wipe his forehead, attempted to stuff it into the complainant's mouth with a police whistle. After this the defendant pulled the complainant into Aberdeen Street where another Chinese detective was stationed and from him the defendant borrowed a truncheon with which he prodded the complainant.

No Marks On Body

At yesterday's hearing, Sgt. D. Reidy testified that he was on charge-room duty on the morning of September 9 when at about 2.30 a.m. complainant made a report to him to the effect that he had been assaulted by a Chinese detective with a baton. He gave the name of the Chinese detective, and witness traced the defendant as the man. He examined the complainant and found that there were no marks on his body. Witness then asked him if he would like to consult a doctor at the Government Civil Hospital but complainant replied that he would not. He then advised him to see the senior officer of the Criminal Investigation Department later in the day.

The following day he spoke to the defendant who denied the assault. He did not tell complainant that he would reprimand the defendant. There were no red marks on his chest.

Cross-examined by Mr. Silva, witness said he did not consider that the fact that he did not find any marks on the complainant was of such importance that he should put it on record. If there had been any marks he would have done so. After he had examined the complainant and found there were no marks on his body, he had his doubts as to the truth of his allegations. That was the reason why he asked the complainant if he would like to consult a Government doctor. Apart from that, however, it was the practice that if any allegations of assault were made, the complainant should be asked to see a Government doctor.

The Defence

After his Worship had indicated that there was a case for the defence to answer, Mr. Lim put his client into the witness-box. The defendant said that on the morning in question he was going up Aberdeen Street from Wellington Street when a man whom he did not know but who knew him, told him that there had been a fight in Gage Street and that the man involved had a dagger in his possession. He asked his informant where the man was and he told him that he was at that time in Kau U Fong. They then proceeded to the place where the informant pointed him out. That man was the complainant. Witness went up to the complainant and told him that he wanted to search him as he understood that he was in possession of a dagger. The complainant submitted to the search but nothing was found on him. After this, the complainant asked him to show him proof that he was a detective, and witness produced his card. The complainant later said: "Don't be so arrogant, I will summon you," and then left. After his departure, witness spoke to two persons who were standing by. He asked them for their names and addresses in order that they should bear him out should he be summoned. He then returned to the Police Station. He did not hit the complainant at all, and he had no truncheon with him as

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Further contributions will be gratefully received by Mr. F. G. Maunder, Secretary for Earl Haig's Fund, York Building Hong Kong. Cheques should be made payable to Thomson & Co., and crossed "Poppy Day Fund".

THE "EAGLE" LEAVES**Hermes To Return**

Amidst music and cheers from their own band and the crews of other warships in harbour, the aircraft carrier, H.M.S. Eagle left here yesterday morning for Singapore. As the great ship steamed out of the harbour several of her aeroplanes flew round the island before setting off after the carrier which was accompanied by H.M.S. Witch and H.M.S. Veteran.

The Eagle is proceeding Home and will be replaced by H.M.S. Hermes which will probably arrive in December.

Other changes in the China Fleet will be the H.M.S. Grimsby which is expected here soon to replace H.M.S. Cornflower and another naval tug will be available with the arrival of the Barnet.

EXHIBITION OF WATER COLOURS**At Komor And Komor's**

The bi-annual exhibition of pictures at Komor's is always looked forward to by residents of Hong Kong. It comprises many hundreds of pictures of varying sizes and technique which are all offered at remarkable low prices, many for as little as \$3.

Foremost artists like Terauchi, Kobayashi, Kato, Shima, etc. are again represented. An innovation this year is the exhibition of Nature studies by Kelsen, who excels himself in picture No. 88, a bird on a branch in full blossom. Kelsen is not as well-known as the other artists, but he has won great awards this year and is coming to the fore.

As usual Komor's are displaying the pictures to their best advantage and one is amazed at the richness of colour and the perfection of the draughtsmanship. There are colours and tints to fit every home at prices to suit everybody. Many of these paintings sent as Christmas presents in former years, have been greatly admired. As the Christmas mail closes on the 9th, it is advisable to call at Komor's as soon as possible. The exhibition will be open till 6 p.m.

ITALIAN CONVENT BAZAAR**A. Great Success**

The annual Bazaar of the Italian Convent was held at the School compound during the weekend and a large gathering being present. Mrs. G. P. de Martin, wife of the former Director of Education, opened the function and in a few well chosen words congratulated the organisers.

A large collection of hand-sewn materials, embroideries and knitted work was offered at attractive prices, while the decorated stalls of competition and chance, were a big attraction to the many younger folk present.

RAUB AUSTRALIAN'S DIVIDEND

The Hong Kong Stock Exchange have received a cable from Messrs. Derrick & Co., Local Secretaries in Singapore, of the Raub Australian Gold Mining Ltd., announcing the declaration of a third interim dividend of 6d. per share for the year ending March 31, 1935 and payable December 15, 1934.

He was not on duty at the time. After further evidence had been produced by the defence, the case was adjourned.

PARLIAMENT IN SPAIN**Opposition Stands Aloof**

(Special to "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright), Telegraphic Message Ordinance, 1934. Received, November 5, 4.30 p.m.)

Madrid, Nov. 5. Cortes resumed its session today in the absence of entire opposition with the exception of Basques, as a result of the decision arrived at last night by the committees of the Socialist and the Left Republican Party to stand aloof from all sessions until further notice.

In view of the absence of the opposition the Spanish Government will not be able to get through bills requiring two-thirds majority, unless the Government makes up its mind to outlaw the Socialist Party, which is, however, unlikely. Transocean Kuo Min.

DEATH SENTENCES IN SPAIN

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Madrid, Nov. 4. The Spanish Government has decided that two of the death sentences for mutiny pronounced by court martial will be carried out, probably on Monday morning. One of the condemned is in Leon and the other in a town in Asturias.

The fear is widespread that the extreme syndicalists will attempt to make this an occasion for the proclamation of the general strike.

HARMONY IN THE CHURCH

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Berlin, Nov. 4. The great Evangelical unions and associations published on Sunday a declaration to the effect that the present critical juncture of the German Evangelical Church makes harmony and tranquillity an imperative necessity. Numerous confidential deliberations had led to the conviction on the part of the present leaders that all the existing hindrances can be removed and peace established. It is now the duty of all those in the positions of leadership of the Church and political group to come together for a frank discussion. Whoever neglects this opportunity endangers the unity and mission of the reformed church to the German nation and the State. Transocean Kuo Min.

WINTER RELIEF IN THE SAAR

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Saarbrücken, Nov. 4. After having maintained complete silence since the last application for permission was lodged on October 5, the Governing Commission has consented to request all charitable societies in the Saar territory to organise "winter help" work on the same lines as in the Reich.

This permission was first applied for months ago and then refused on the grounds that it could be used as a cloak for conducting propaganda for the coming plebiscite and would in any case interfere with the preparations being made for holding the plebiscite itself on January 13 next. Transocean Kuo Min.

COMMUNIST PRINTERS ARRESTED

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Prague, Nov. 4. Two Communist printers were arrested at Teplice several days ago. The police investigations showed that a highly efficient organisation has been built up for smuggling prohibited literature across the frontier into Germany. The police have confiscated altogether 50,000 copies of such printed matter including issues of the Communist "Derotehne" "Junge Garde," the International Press Correspondence "Imperialismus und Weltrevolution," "Imperialismus und Weltrevolution," "Imperialismus und Weltrevolution." The printed sheets were partly of miniature size and only legible with the use of magnifying glass and partly printed in the thinnest India paper. Transocean Kuo Min.



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MEMBERS are reminded of the Annual General Meeting to be held at the Club House at 8.30 P.M. To-Day.

U. M. OMAR,
Hon. Secretary.

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ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE, STANLEY.

HIS Excellency THE GOVERNOR has kindly consented to distribute the School Prizes on Wednesday, November 7th at 3 p.m. Parents, Old Boys and Friends are invited to attend.

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ST. ANDREW'S BALL

MEMBERS of St. Andrew's Society attending this function are requested to return their Ball Subscription Lists to the Joint Hon. Secretary at their earliest convenience. This will permit the issuing of Invitation Cards in good time for Members and Guests to attend the Practice Dance.

Hong Kong, 3rd November, 1934.

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THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

DRAFT Programmes and Entry Forms for the ELEVENTH Extra Race Meeting to be held on SUNDAY, the 17th NOVEMBER, 1934 (weather permitting), may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, Gloucester Building, The Club House, Happy Valley; the Hong Kong Club; the Sports Club; and the Stables, Shan Kwong Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on THURSDAY, the 8th NOVEMBER, 1934.

By Order.

C. B. BROWN,
Secretary.

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BIRTH

CHALLAN.—On October 3-1934, at the Sino-Foreign Clinic, Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. Roger Challan, a son.

MARRIAGE

BLAICKIE-HEATH.—On October 30, 1934, at H.B.M. Consulate-General, Shanghai, before Mr. A. D. Blackburn, and at the Church of Christ the King, by the Reverend Father MacDonald, Florence Doreen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. Heath of Shanghai, to Charles, son of Mr. C. L. Blaikie, of North Berwick, East Lothian.

DEATH

DONELEVSKY.—On Tuesday, October 30, 1934, at his residence, 314 Hardoon Road, Ivan Georgievitch Donelevsky, aged 49 years. Formerly of the Chinese Maritime Customs Service.

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ARMAMENTS AND COURAGE

Through its traditional association with human courage, war has long enjoyed a certain degree of credit. Horatius' single handed defence of the Roman bridge against the countless hordes of the Etruscans; Drake's supreme non-chalance in the advent of the great Armada that was sailing up the Channel, when he insisted on finishing his game of bowls—these like these have through the ages, fired the imaginations of men and induced a toleration of war's carnage.

But no longer can this prestige be claimed by war, and preparations for war. War, and the thought of war, are to-day, as they have never been so clearly before, a revelation, not of courage but of fear and terror. It is unashamed, none the less degraded. This is evident when comparison is made between war propaganda of to-day and that of a few hundred years ago. Writing on the British Navy in 1638 and again in 1689,

PERMIT FOR CHINESE MASTER MARINERS

Petition Against Hong Kong Regulation

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright.))

Shanghai, Nov. 5.

The Chinese Navigators' Association petitioned the Ministry of Communications yesterday asking the Government to negotiate with the Hong Kong authorities with a view to abolishing the examination required for Chinese masters of ships passing through Hong Kong. The action follows the arrival of the s.s. Haiyuan for the China Merchants Steamship Company which arrived last week from England and which was commanded by a British captain

because it was plying through Hong Kong and Chinese ports.

The petition does not ask for the dismissal of the foreign captains but merely asks for an equal footing. The memorandum states that since China is a member of the international agreement for safety of navigation on the high seas, the Hong Kong authorities have no right to require a second examination. China recognises the validity of the permits of other countries and therefore the permits issued by China should also be recognised in Hong Kong.—China United Press.

GEN. CHIANG AT KALGAN

Welcome On Arrival

Kalgan, Nov. 5. General Chiang Kai Shek and his retinue arrived yesterday by special train at 10.40 in the morning and were enthusiastically welcomed by the Provincial Government, military officials, officers, students and representatives of public bodies.

The train had a leisurely trip with a stop over at Nankow Pass where Madame Chiang and friends visited the Ming Tombs.

General Chiang Kai Shek's company, which included General Sung Che Yuan and other officials, motored in the afternoon on an inspection trip to Changpei, 40 miles to the north of Kalgan.—China United Press.

MANCHUKUO NOTES

Circulation In Shanghai

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright.))

Tientsin, Nov. 5.

A large quantity of bank notes issued by Manchukuo has been circulated in Shanghai city, causing considerable difficulties among Chinese business men according to information received. While Manchukuo notes are not accepted in the larger cities of North China, however there used to be a discount in the smaller villages near the Manchukuo border.

The Shanghai Chamber of Commerce has decided to fix a daily standard of discount for the notes in order to protect the city's business men.—China United Press.

Holland displays a calm confidence in its power. He says: "Nothing under God, hath brought so much, so great commerce to this Kingdom as the rightly noble employments of our navy." The same confidence of outlook stirred Sir Francis Bacon, who, writing of large armaments, said: "Nay, number... in armies importeth not much where the people is of weak courage."

English papers of to-day describe Britain, as totally unprepared for the destruction which, it is suggested, the future may probably hold for her. It is urged that Britain should increase her air force to the highest level of strength possessed by any other nation. The press of most other western nations are giving voice to propaganda of similar intent and temper.

War has always been the most unsatisfactory way of settling disputes, but a premium on courage and determination might have been claimed with a degree of plausibility in the seventeenth century. In the twentieth it is machines, and not men, that count. The romantic view that war is the ideal field for the display of the manifest of human qualities is finally exploded. War, and preparation for war, are undisputedly the manifestation of fear and cowardice; true courage is now associated with the preparation for peace.

JUICHIN AND YUTU

Early Capture In Sight

Amoy, Nov. 5.

While part of the units of the Fourth Column under Li Yen Nien remained in the newly recovered city of Chanting to assist in rehabilitation work, other divisions of the Eastern Route Army continue in pursuit of the fugitives to the west and are converging on Juichin, to which place the Northern Route Army under Xu Chu Tung will be also advancing.

The cities of Juichin and Yutu are practically undefended and their capture in the near future is imminent. Government troops are busily engaged in road construction work in the rear to facilitate communications.—China United Press.

CHINA'S NORTH WEST

Development Planned

Dealing with the subject of the development of China's north-west, the "Sin Wen Pao," a Chinese daily highly commended the character and quality of the people in that region, saying that it would be a blunder on the part of the Government if the people were considered as outcasts.

"Much talk has been in the air about the development of China's north-west," says the paper. "Actual development has been in progress ever since the visit of Mr. T. V. Soong to that region. Now Gen. Chiang Kai Shek has visited that region himself and there is every reason to believe that plans will soon be set on foot on a large scale for its development."

"At this moment when the whole country is focussing its attention on the north-west we want to remind the public that the north-west is the cradle of Chinese civilization and the home of mineral treasures. People who have visited those provinces can readily realize the greatness of Chinese civilization. But there is one thing which many people overlook, that is the unseen power and energy of its people."

Services Needed. Though the political centre of China was shifted to Nanking and Peking during the Ming and Manchu dynasties respectively, the paper continued, the energetic spirit of the people should not be overlooked. The paper then pointed out that it was the Shensi people who first responded to the call to arms in the 1911 revolution and that in past civil wars Shensi troops had distinguished themselves by their unusual determination and perseverance. It also pointed out how the Shensi troops defended Chochow against the Fengtien bombardment for many weeks without reinforcements or adequate food supplies, and how the people in the north-west endured and laboured through the many years of drought and famine.

"China to-day needs such people badly and they are the flower of the Chinese race. If we want to build up a strong country, we need the services of these people. It would be wrong to suppose that

MARSEILLES MURDERS

Enquiry Yields Results

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Belgrade, Nov. 5.

The murders of Alexander and Barthou have now been entirely cleared up, according to the semi-official paper "Vreme" which states that the enquiry has proved beyond doubt that the head of the Croatian terrorist organization, Dr. Pavellitch, gave the order to assassinate the King. Pavellitch himself, however, according to the paper selected the leader of the group named Georgiev who travelled from Italy to Zurich, accompanied by Kvaternik, where their group was despatched by Pavellitch from Hungary and to whom Georgiev and Kvaternik distributed the money for arms.

The paper affirms that the League of Nations will deal with the question of political motives, underlying the Marseilles crimes, and that Yugo-Slavia is discussing with France and the Little Entente on the question as to when the League should be called on to intervene.—Transocean Kuo Min.

WRECKER OF TRAINS

Terrible Disaster Recalled

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Budapest, Nov. 5.

The terrible railway disaster near Blatorbagy in Hungary three years ago was vividly recalled when Sylvester Matushka appeared on Monday before the criminal court here on a charge of murdering 22 victims who lost their lives on that occasion.

It will be remembered that while the International Express between Budapest, Vienna and Ostend was crossing the viaduct spanning a deep ravine a big explosion took place, causing the head viaduct to collapse, with the result that the train precipitated into the ravine. A prolonged investigation eventually led to the arrest of the Hungarian merchant Matushka, who not only admitted the crime at Blatorbagy but also confessed to derailing the express between Basel and Berlin near the town of Jucterborg in Germany in August of the same year and attempting to derail the Vienna-Berlin express on Austrian territory.

For the last offence Matushka had been sentenced in 1932 to a penalty of six years imprisonment by the Austrian court and has now been handed over by the Austrian authorities to Hungary for the crime of Blatorbagy at the conclusion of which he will be transferred to Austria in order to complete his original sentence there.

Although the Hungarian court is empowered to pass the death sentence for the Blatorbagy crime the sentence will not be carried out in consequence of the conditions laid down by the Austrian authorities for Matushka's extradition.

The court was crowded to overflowing when four judges took seats and the accused was led in to the dock. The proceedings are expected to last seven days.—Transocean Kuo Min.

the North-west could be developed without giving due regard to its people. We are under the impression that the Government has committed a serious blunder in regarding the North-west as an undeveloped region and trying to develop that region in the sense of developing a barren island and regarding the people there as outcasts. It is true that the people in the North-west are far more backward in their knowledge as compared with the people in the coastal provinces, but this handicap can easily be overcome by introducing higher education into that land."

DOUMERGUE'S REFORM PROPOSALS

French Press Comment

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright.))

Paris, Nov. 4.

To judge from the reception the Paris Press gives to the decision of the French Cabinet in the matter of the proposed constitutional reform, and to Doumergue's broadcast speech on Saturday, public opinion is unlikely to gain an impression that the national front is unanimously behind the Government and is determined to carry out Doumergue's programme. While the papers of the Right plead for cordial support of the Premier in his fight to overcome the prevailing political and economic crisis, the organs of the Left reject Doumergue's demands while the Centre exhibits a pronounced coolness. All parties and all newspapers agree, however, that the outlook is exceedingly grave.

The "Echo de Paris" calls Doumergue's speech to the nation the greatest to patriotism since Clemenceau aroused France in the hour of despair in 1917. Public opinion must be made to rally the support of the Prime Minister, says the organ of the French General Staff. "Le Jour" declares that the crisis is postponed but remains undiminished in gravity and believes that resistance of the Radical-Socialist to the revision of the constitution is due to the influence of freemasons. "Le Journal" prophesies eventful days in store and emphasises that the inner political truce is badly shaken. "Matin" declares that the dissolution of the Chamber merely means that the sovereign people would be given a voice to choose new representatives which is the basic principle of all democratic rule. "Quotidien" reproaches Doumergue with having declared war on both houses of legislature at the same time and predicts that the Premier is leading his followers to unprecedented defeat. "Ere Nouvelle," the organ of M. Herriot, maintains that the tactics followed by the Radical-Socialist Ministers were the wisest and the most republican and must be adhered to, no matter what the critics say.

Several papers draw attention to the fact that Saturday's bourse was exceptionally weak interpreting this as a proof of lack of confidence among the possessing classes.—Transocean Kuo Min.

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Paris, Nov. 4.

Premier Doumergue had a long conversation on Sunday with the Chairman of the Finance Committee, Radical-Socialist, deputy Malvy, on the question of three "budget twelfths" which Doumer-

gue wants the Chamber to vote before proceeding further with the constitution reform. As on Tuesday the sitting of the Chamber will be occupied entirely with the memorial ceremonies for King Alexander, Mm. Barthou and Poincare, it was decided to put the financial question to the vote on Wednesday.

Doumergue pointed out that the passage of the three-twelfths is absolutely essential if the constitutional reform is to be given adequate discussion in the Chamber, otherwise matters of financial urgency might constantly cause undesirable interruptions. The Premier intends to force the Chamber to vote for the three-twelfths by raising the question of confidence. It is here that the real struggle between Doumergue and his opponents will take place.

Old Parliamentarians declare that the Premier can rely on at least 320 votes hence he will carry his first point.—Transocean Kuo Min.

FINANCE MINISTER'S THREAT

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Paris, Nov. 5.

"A National Assembly or a cabinet crisis" is the alternative confronting the French Nation according to the radical socialist organ "Oeuvre" which states that the decision will be taken on Wednesday in the Chamber provided the cabinet council called for Tuesday will not lead to further complication.

It is rumoured in parliamentary circles that the finance minister M. Germain-Martin had threatened to resign because he objects to the bill being introduced by the premier proposing the grant by the Chamber of three provisional twelfths of the budget which Doumergue evidently plans to make use of as one of his projects. Others, however, believe that Germain-Martin will not resign but content himself by showing his disapproval by leaving to the premier the task of defending the bill in the Chamber. Should the Radical Socialists decide in the forthcoming meeting of the parliamentary group against the bill and insist on all their members voting against the Government, the latter's position would indeed be gravely imperilled. Incongruous pessimists are already discussing the prospects of Doumergue being replaced by Laval Landin or possibly Marshal Petain, but a considerable section of Radical Socialists state he will continue. The situation nevertheless remains uncertain.—Transocean Kuo Min.

CANTON AND NANKING

Question Of Union

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, Nov. 5.

Word has been received here from Dr. Wang Chung Hui, the mediator for a Canton-Nanking rapprochement, stating that he will soon come to Canton from Peking via Nanking.

Dr. Wang interviewed General Chiang Kai Shek, Chairman of the Military Affairs Commission, three times at the hospital of the Peiping Union Medical College. Chiang left for Changhai and Taitung, and Dr. Wang yesterday visited Western Hills, an historic place outside the city.

While the terms submitted by Canton to General Chiang Kai Shek are not divulged, it is understood that the leaders here suggest that the political status of the South-west should remain unchanged after the Fifth National Congress of Kuomintang representatives.

Interviewed at Peking, Dr. Wang stated that the prospects of an understanding are good, and this may mean that General Chiang Kai Shek has favourably considered the terms of the South-west. Well-informed circles here wonder, however, why Dr. Wang does not come to Canton immediately if he has good news to impart.

M. TARDIEU UNDERGOES OPERATION

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright.))

Paris, Nov. 4.

One of Doumergue's most ardent supporters, Minister Tardieu underwent an operation on Sunday for the removal of an abscess in the leg. The operation was successful but the doctors insist that the patient takes three to four weeks' rest.—Transocean Kuo Min.

DR. H. H. KUNG

Shanghai, Nov. 5.

Dr. H. H. Kung is proceeding to Peking to-morrow to inspect financial affairs in North China. From Peking he will proceed to Taitung to attend to the affairs of Oberlin in China, a well-known middle school of which he is honorary president.—Reuter.

Postponement of the Fifth National Congress to a future date to be decided by the Fourth Plenary Session of the Kuomintang C.E.C. has eased the tension between Canton and Nanking. The Central Authorities have cleaned up the Reds in Fukien and have met with success in suppressing the other remnants of "Kiangchi" China will be unified after an understanding has been reached with the Canton faction.

NEWS SUMMARY

Convicted on a charge of larceny by finding, Tang Hung, unemployed, was sentenced to two months' hard labour by Mr. Wynne-Jones yesterday. Page 6

When a Chinese named Fung Kwan-lum was brought before Mr. MacFadyen yesterday on a charge of being in possession of 200 rounds of ammunition, he pleaded that he had picked them up. Page 6

Pun Cho On who is charged with the murder of Chick Wing by arsenic poisoning before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy will be continued on Wednesday. Page 6

H.M.S. "Eagle" left for Singapore yesterday morning. She will be relieved by H.M.S. "Hermes" which is due to arrive next month. Page 7

The Duke of Sachsen-Coburg and Duke of Albany, a descendant of Queen Victoria is due in the Colony on November 15. Page 7

The s.s. Kaho was pirated on Sunday morning and taken to Hong Hai Bay. Three persons were kidnapped. Page 7

The summons against a Chinese detective for common assault on a "boy" employed at Gloucester Building on the morning of September 9 at Kan U Fong was continued at Central Magistracy yesterday. After further evidence had been given, the case was adjourned. Page 7

The Radio Sports Club and the Recluse played a friendly hockey match yesterday, the game resulting in a draw. Page 10

The programme for the Polo Club's Gymkhana will be found on Page 10

The second day's results in the Shanghai race meeting appear on Page 10

A floodlight soccer match was played at Sookunpo last evening when the Army met South China in a friendly encounter in aid of the military charity funds. The result was a draw of one goal each. Page 10

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Only one case of cerebro-spinal fever was reported for the 24 hours ended on November 4, 1934.

Local estate to the value of \$119,600 has been left by Poon Wai Suen, merchant, of 30, Li Yuen Street who died on June 12. Probate has been granted to Poon Kai Ng and Poon Yau Ng, of the same address.

The s.s. Yasukuni Maru will arrive in harbour at 2 p.m. to-day instead of at daylight, as scheduled.

Members of St. Andrew's Society attending the annual Ball are requested to return their subscription lists to the Joint Hon. Secretaries as early as possible.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Kotewall are giving a reception at their residence, Hatton House, Kotewall Road, on the 20th instant on the occasion of the marriage of their daughter, Phoebe, to Walter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hung Tze Yee.

One case of diphtheria and three cases of typhoid were reported to the local health authorities on Friday.

At to-day's meeting of the Rotary Club the speaker will be Mr. A. B. Reynolds, who will give an address on "Basic English."

LADY CADOGAN

Shanghai, Nov. 5.

Lady Theo Cadogan and daughters left for Nanking by train this afternoon to join the British Minister's coming tour.—Reuter.

CHINESE FLYING LIEUTENANTS

London, Nov. 5.

After a course at a flying school in Grantham, Chinese Lieutenants Li Shou Chen and K. K. Lee will be attached to the Sixteenth Army co-operation squadron, and Martin Bomber squadron respectively.—Reuter.

"NEW DEAL" FACES TEST AT POLLS

IMPROBABILITY OF SERIOUS REPUBLICAN GAINS

"Betting" On Governorship Of California

New York, Nov. 4. With only a few hours left before the "New Deal" faces its test at the polls, politicians throughout the country concede that is the most important election since the Civil War. The general opinion seems to be that a decisive Democrat majority will be returned to Congress.

With radicalism past its peak, however, Mr. Upton Sinclair, the Communist's great hope, appears to be definitely beaten in the California gubernatorial contest. The betting in the state is five to one in favour of Governor Merriam.

The improbability of any serious Republican gains either in the House of Representatives or the Senate is ascribed to the fact that

so few Republicans are willing to make an outright fight against the "New Deal" in view of President Roosevelt's personal popularity.

The relief expenditures by the Government are expected to prove a deciding factor in the success of the "New Deal." Some Democratic leaders are reported to be warning needy voters that the continuance of their relief roles depends upon the Democratic candidates.

Republicans contend that it is hopeless to try to recapture Congress in face of "the biggest campaign chest in all history."

Latest reports from the political front are that Governor Lehman of New York is considered to be sure of a smashing victory.—*Reuter.*

ANGLO-SOVIET DISPUTE

Lena Goldfields Rights

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London, Nov. 5. The long drawn out dispute between England and Russia on the Lena Goldfields have been removed. An agreement signed on Sunday night stipulates the payment of £3,000,000 by the Soviet Government to the Lena Goldfield Company which renounces all its rights and claims to the property.

A payment of indemnity granted by Russia will cover the period of 84 years. The first initial payment of £500,000 due so soon as agreement has been ratified by the Company's shareholders. The rest will be paid in six months' instalments of £292,500 each.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

AGREEMENT SIGNED

Moscow, Nov. 5. The signature to Lena goldfields agreement was appended yesterday at the bedside of Mr. Marshall, signatory for the Company who is suffering from influenza. M. Trifonoff signed for the Soviet. A three millions sterling award was paid through Moscow to the Norodny Bank.

Fifty thousand in cash will be paid after ratification and thereafter instalments each six months, not bearing interest, spread over twenty years. The decision of the Soviet in making a settlement is attributed to a desire to improve relations with Britain.—*Reuter.*

NAVAL ADVISER TO CHINA

Capt. J. A. V. Morse Appointed

London, Nov. 5. Capt. J. A. V. Morse has been appointed Naval Adviser to the Chinese Government to train Chinese cadets. He succeeds Capt. Baillie Grohman Morse. When a Lieutenant he was mentioned in despatches and received the D.S.O. decoration for extraordinarily gallant conduct at Gallipoli in 1915. He is proceeding to China with his wife by the s.s. Ranchi leaving Marseilles on November 16. He will reside at Nanking.

There are now sixteen Chinese cadets, part in the Mediterranean Fleet and part on the Training Ship *Problecher* at Portsmouth, while others are expected in the not distant future.

FLOTILLA CHANGES

The first Destroyer Flotilla commanded by Capt. Baillie Grohman is proceeding to the Far East and is due in Singapore on December 11 in exchange for service on the China Station with the Eighth Flotilla, the ships of which will proceed to the Mediterranean.

IMPERIAL AIRWAYS

Atlantic Service Plans

London, Nov. 5. Imperial Airways have drawn up full plans for a trans-Atlantic service, declared Sir Eric Geddes at the annual meeting of Imperial Airways, but operation is not yet likely. There will be, however, an immediate passenger mail service of flying boats between Bermuda and New York operated jointly with Pan-American Airways. He said the time had come to replace the major fleet by faster aircraft, but it was vital to prosperity if the company funds be carefully preserved until the rate advance in design and technology slows down. Imperial Airways were convinced that their services were by far the quietest and most comfortable in the world.

Announcing a dividend of six per cent. Sir Eric Geddes reviewed the steady progress in all-round traffic on the Indian and Malayan routes and he expected a substantial increase in December with an extension from Singapore to Darwin. The service to South Africa will become bi-weekly almost immediately, and a similar increase is being considered on the Eastern Service.—*Reuter.*

MANDATES COMMISSION DISCUSSION

Alleged Japanese Refusal

Geneva, Nov. 5. The Mandates Commission opened a discussion on a report of the Japanese Government, on the Pacific Islands, at which Mr. Ito, Japanese Minister was subjected to a number of questions regarding newspaper reports that the Japanese Government were refusing foreigners permission to visit the islands, notably the case of the American astronomical expedition which proposed to observe the eclipse of the sun over a year ago.

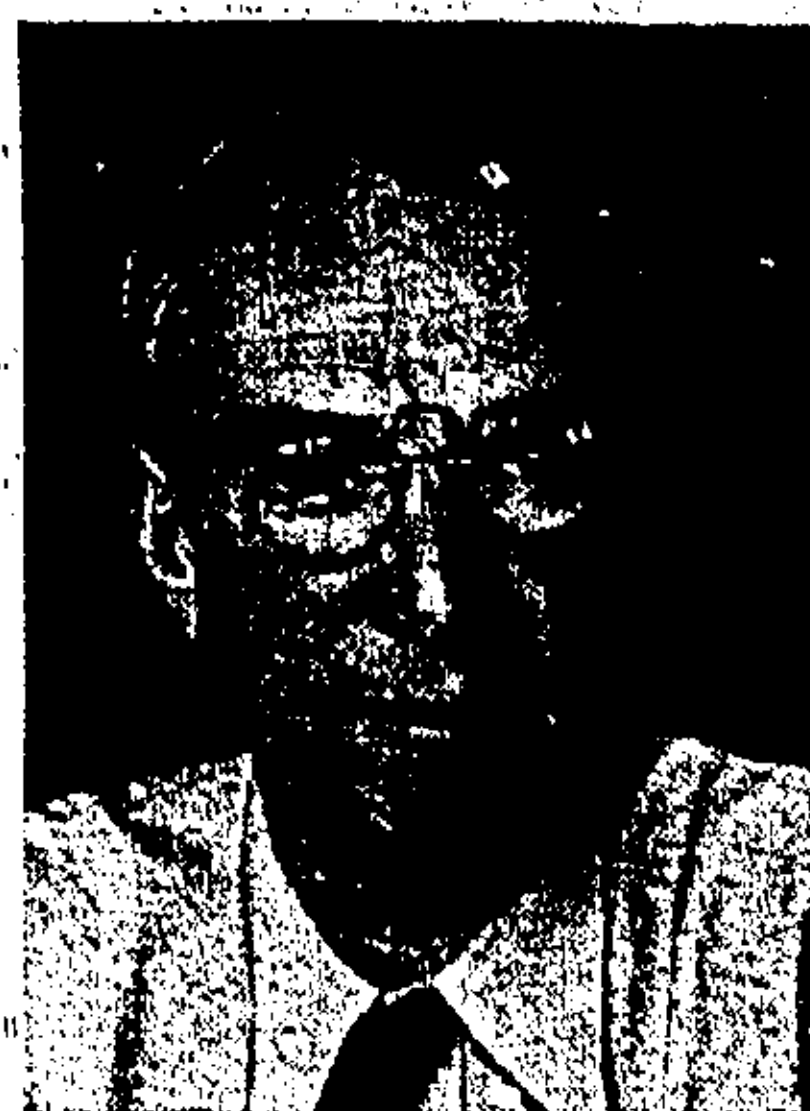
Mr. Ito replied he had no knowledge of these difficulties which he declared were tendentious, and added he must investigate the specific cases alleged. He believed the Japanese Government itself organised an expedition to witness the eclipse to which other Governments including the Soviet were invited to send scientists.

The discussion is continuing this afternoon.—*Reuter.*

EMBARGO ON SILVER

Shanghai, Nov. 5. It is authoritatively stated that an embargo on export of silver is being enforced in Kansu in view of the increasing outflow of the white metal.—*Reuter.*

while the crews will transfer in to the first Flotilla and remain on the China Station.—*Reuter.*



MR. UPTON SINCLAIR

SITTING AND WAITING

Naval Delegates Mark Time

London, Nov. 5. The naval talks which are entering the second week of the deadlock are being carried on in silent manner, the representatives of the three countries just sitting and waiting for developments. The American sit at a West End hotel waiting for the Japanese to move. The Japanese sit and wait for the British to suggest something. They expect Sir John Simon and Mr. Matsudaira to meet secretly to-day and that Sir John will have a possible solution for the deadlock. Meanwhile the British are waiting for Japan to make a proposal—any other proposal other than the unwelcome one of parity. The Americans believe that the present staid situation can only be changed by the Japanese suggesting a proposal less repellent.

The Americans expect that Japan will soon indicate that she would be willing to talk about qualified parity, namely eventual parity to be achieved at the end of a period of years. Such a proposal would at least revive the talks. However, with the American elections to-morrow, they are glad that no startling developments are occurring in the naval talks which might upset the Democratic chances of winning. The American Pacific Coast would be especially perturbed if the naval talks ended fruitlessly and probably show it in reaction against President Roosevelt's party.

BASELESS STATEMENT

Col. House's statement in New York to-day that there is a possibility of a naval agreement is considered baseless by the American delegation here who say there is no more possibility of an agreement now than there was when the Japanese first presented their proposals.

The Americans are adamant. There can be no agreement as the situation now stands, since Japan is demanding parity whilst Britain and the United States demand maintenance of the ratio. The Americans, however, are hopeful. Japan made it clear to both the United States and Britain in private talks that she intends to abrogate the Washington Treaty at the end of the year. She is in no hurry to officially denounce the Treaty, but will do so within a fortnight.—*Reuter.*

CHINA QUESTION AT COMMONS

London, Nov. 5. In the House of Commons to-day, Mr. A. C. Moreing (Preston) referred to the allocation of a contract for the Yushang-Pingsiang Railway to a German firm while £500,000 was due to the British Chinese Corporation for surveys. Sir John Simon replied that Sir Alexander Cadogan had seen a representative of the Corporation and taken up the matter with the Chinese Government which had so far not replied to the representations.

Sir John Simon said in reply to certain observations by the Chinese Legation that he emphasised entirely the non-political and unofficial character of the Federation of British Industries Mission to Manchuria.—*Reuter.*

PLACINGS IN AIR RACE

Parmentier First In Handicap

Melbourne, Nov. 5. The official placings in the London to Melbourne handicap air race are:

1. Scott and Black,
2. Parmentier and Moll,
3. James Melrose.

As Scott is ineligible for the handicap prize money, Parmentier and Melrose take first and second prizes.—*Reuter.*

Port Darwin, Nov. 5. K. D. Parmentier and J. J. Moll, the Dutch air mail pilots who secured second place in the England-Melbourne air race, left here at 8.25 p.m. yesterday on their return trip to Holland.—*Reuter.*

RAPID POSTAL AIR PLANE

Mishap To German Machine

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Paris, Nov. 4. The French Air Minister, M. Denain, telegraphed to Goering, the German Minister of Aviation, announcing the accident to a German rapid post airplane on Saturday and expressing sympathy. The French authorities have arranged with the German Embassy in Paris the necessary steps for the furtherance of the mail which was despatched through the airway to Seville from Carcassonne.

A French aviation officer has proceeded from Toulouse to Carcassonne offering help and hospitality to the slightly injured German pilot of the airplane.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

EMERGENCY LANDING

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Berlin, Nov. 4. The German rapid postal airplane Dhtubox was forced to make an emergency landing in the South of France on Saturday night when the machine was damaged and Captain Schmehege was slightly injured. The post was transported by another plane from Carcassonne to Seville.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

EGYPTIAN CABINET RESIGNS

Cairo, Nov. 5. It is understood that Yehi Pasha's cabinet resigned yesterday, but King Fuad has not yet chosen a new premier. The most likely choices are Tewfik Nassim, former Chief of the Royal Cabinet, Hafez Arn, former minister in London, and Ali Maher, former minister of justice.—*Reuter.*

C.E.R. SALE TALKS HELD UP

Serious Disagreement Over Details In Tokyo

Moscow, Oct. 31. A price of ¥ 140,000,000 for the transfer of the Soviet interest in the Chinese Eastern Railway to Manchukuo has definitely been agreed upon but the transfer is being delayed by a serious disagreement over details, an official statement issued here to-day revealed.

Debates of an exceedingly acrimonious nature have hindered negotiations at Tokyo, according to the official statement, which declared Japan was responsible for the present difficult situation.

Outstanding obstacles to conclusion of the negotiations were declared to be Japan's unwillingness to give guarantees for payment of the purchase price, and a sharp disagreement over the question of whether the Soviet Union shall continue to operate the railway for a month after the formal transfer of the Soviet interest to Manchukuo takes place.

The Moscow Government in its official statement declares that it has shown throughout the negotiations the utmost spirit of co-operation, and that Japanese obstinacy is to blame for the failure to reach a final agreement.

The statement revealed important details of the present tentative agreement, which had not

TRANS-PACIFIC FLIGHT COMPLETED

KINGSFORD SMITH TO TACKLE ATLANTIC PASSAGE

England - Melbourne Speed Record Ambition



SIR KINGSFORD SMITH

Los Angeles, Nov. 4. The continuation of his flight to New York, then across the Atlantic to London, and an attempt on a new plane to break the speed record set by Scott and Black in the England to Melbourne air race were indications of future plans given by Sir Charles Kingsford Smith when he arrived here to-day from Oakland to complete his trans-Pacific flight from Australia via Fiji and Hawaii.

On the arrival of Sir Charles, he was greeted by Robert Loran, American war ace, and was immediately rushed to a broadcasting station, where he spoke to the nation on a country-wide hook-up.

A HOT MEAL. "If I were asked what I wanted most," Sir Charles declared, "I'd say a bath, a shave and a hot meal."

He added that he was very much gratified at the interest shown in the flight from Australia to America, saying that while it was a long way to come, the wonderful reception was well worth it.

The orchestra then played "God Save the King."

It is learned that Sir Charles is considering a continuation of the flight to New York and thence across the Atlantic to London, after which he will obtain a new machine and attempt to break the England-Melbourne record established by Scott and Black in the air race.

"MERE FLEA HOP"

London, Nov. 4. Sir Charles Kingsford Smith arrived at Oakland, California at 7.05 a.m., local time completing his trans-Pacific flight via Honolulu and Fiji. He left Brisbane on October 20.

The famous airman describes the final stage of his flight as a "mere flea hop."

Coincident with the time of Sir Charles Kingsford Smith's successful hop, a German Luftwaffe mail plane crashed near Carcassonne, while a South American service machine was destroyed. The pilot of the latter plane received head injuries, but the wireless operator escaped unhurt.—*Reuter.*

NEW EMBASSIES

Sir John Simon's Statement

London, Nov. 5.

In the House of Commons to-day, Sir John Simon announced that an understanding had been reached in 1919 with certain Powers that no new Embassy will be created without previous accord and confidential conversations with special reference to China had been held from time to time with other Powers. Italy reserved freedom of action in countries where a European Power already had an Embassy. After recounting Italy's action on September 25, Sir John Simon announced that the Government at present does not propose to raise the status of the British Legation to an Embassy.—*Reuter.*

RICH DEPOSITS OF GOLD

Tokyo, Nov. 5. Deposits of gold are reported to have been found in Chientao district Manchurian-Korean border. One vein is claimed to be 12,000 feet long. Arrangements are being made to open the mines.—*Reuter.*

DISARMAMENT TALK REVIVAL

Geneva, Nov. 5. The League this afternoon is publishing a communique from Mr. Arthur Henderson convening the Bureau of the Disarmament Conference during a meeting of the Assembly and indicating the agenda for continuing work of sundry commissions at a special session of the Assembly which opens on November 20.—*Reuter.*



REMARKABLE

ENGLAND-AUSTRALIA

TWO-WAY FLIGHT.

Messrs. O. Cathcart Jones and K. Waller who have just completed a remarkable flight from London to Melbourne and back in the record time of 13 days, 6 hours & 38 minutes, record their appreciation of Ovaltine.

"During our somewhat strenuous flight to Melbourne and back we both derived great benefit from the supplies of Ovaltine carried in our aeroplane. We found it nourishing, sustaining and extremely valuable as a nerve tonic. With grateful thanks."

Signed—Owen Cathcart Jones.
K. Waller.

As in many other remarkable feats of endurance, 'Ovaltine' was selected because its supreme quality is established beyond question. For maintaining physical fitness and abundant vitality even under the most arduous conditions this complete and perfect tonic food beverage stands in a class by itself.

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Builds up Brain, Nerve and Body

(A.P.E.B.)

INTER-SERVICE BOXING

S.W.B. v. East Lancs

The seasons inter-service boxing contests commenced last night with a programme of fifteen three round friendly "No decision" matches between the East Lancs. Regiment and The South Wales Borderers at the Seamen's Institute.

All the boxing was of a high standard and friendly rivalry lent keenness to all contestants.

The tit-bit of the evening was a hard fought three rounds between Pte. Nelson (148 lbs., East Lancs.) and Pte. Roberts (142 lbs., S.W.B.). This bout was fast and furious throughout with nothing to choose between the two. Both boxers gave a display equal to professional standard and put heart and soul into their efforts.

Next in order of merit was between Pte. Dillon (158 lbs., East Lancs.) and Pte. Maloney (158 lbs., S.W.B.). Maloney had slightly the better in the first two rounds but Dillon came back fiercely in the final round to make a very interesting fight.

All the bouts were marked with a fine spirit of inter-regimental friendship, which, however did not in any way mean any love taps.

This is the first of a series of contests which will be staged shortly. The Royal Navy China Fleet Boxing Championships are to commence next month at the China Fleet Club.

FLOODLIGHT SOCCER

S. China Draw With Army

For the second time in the history of the Colony, a floodlight soccer match was played at Soekunpoo last evening when the Army met the South China in a friendly encounter in aid of the military charity funds. There was a comparatively large crowd present and they were treated to a fast game throughout, despite certain disadvantages for instance, the heaviness of the ball which was painted white and the glare from the lights in certain parts of the field.

The result was a draw of one goal each.

The Army made two changes in their selected team, Mullane and Podmore being unable to turn out and their places were filled by Herbert and Pardo respectively. Lau, Mau, Tam Kong Pak and Li Kwok Wai did not play as originally intended and their places were taken over respectively by Chung Fat Lam, George Sun and Yau Wa Hing.

Although being rather unaccustomed to the conditions, the players gave a good display. The heaviness of the ball, apparently caused by the paint, rendered shooting rather difficult but this was in some way compensated by the keenness of the players.

Marrison played a good game for the Army at left back and in fact it was he who was responsible for breaking up many of the attacks by the Chinese. He was ably supported by Jones at left half, while the forwards, Higgins, Ridley and Mathias were prominent. For the Chinese, Leung Wing Shui was a tower of strength at left half, while Tso Kwai Shing, the right winger, was the most dangerous of the forwards.

The game started in a fast manner, both goals being visited in turn. The Chinese had more of the attack at this stage but their shooting was rather poor owing to the heaviness of the ball. Their short passing was a delight to watch, but the "stone wall" defence of the Army held out. After about ten minutes play, however, the Chinese opened their scoring, when Li-Shek Yau sent in a weak shot from the left wing to the goal mouth where Cheuk Shek Kam put the ball into the net during a scramble.

Apparently spurred up by this reverse, the Army from then on took up the attack, and within ten minutes of the re-start, equalised through Higgins.

During the interval, the spectators were treated to a rare sight when an exhibition was given of a motor cycle being driven and controlled by wireless.

Play started at a fast pace in the second half, with the Army

ROYAL H.K. GOLF CLUB

Captain's Cup

The competition for the Captain's Cup at Fanning on November 3 and 4 resulted as follows:—

Old Course
A. McKellar 77-9=68 qualified.
Other scores:—
P. Morrison 84-14=70.
A. D. Humphreys 83-11=72.
J. W. Mayhew 85-13=72.
C. W. E. Blahop 89-17=72.
E. W. Kirk 82-10=72.
A. B. Purves 83-10=73.
A. E. Lissaman 78-2=74.
R. Young 79-5=74.
There were 39 entries.

New Course
D. J. Valentine 86-16=70 qualified.
There were 9 entries.

JASPER CUP
The following is the draw for the Jasper Clark Cup to be played for at Fanning on Sunday, November 11:—

Old Course
9.30 a.m. W. J. Jamieson* and G. Marselle*
9.35 " A. McKellar and A. C. Young
9.40 " I. H. Geare and D. J. Gilmore
9.45 " A. D. Humphreys and J. MacKnight
9.50 " F. J. de Rome and J. W. Franks
10.00 " T. A. Pearce and P. H. Scoones
10.05 " A. B. Stewart and R. Young
10.10 " A. B. Purves and E. des Voeux

New Course
9.30 a.m. A. J. Lay* and G. C. Worrall*
9.35 " G. S. Archbutt and H. U. Ireland
9.40 " M. H. Turner and A. B. Raworth
9.45 " D. S. Edward and J. S. McLaren
9.50 " A. E. Lissaman and D. S. Robb
10.00 " K. S. Robertson and Col. M. J. Williamson
10.05 " J. B. Ross and E. D. Matthews

*The Superintendent will have caddies all ready for these players.

KOWLOON GOLF CLUB

Championship Draw

Appended below is the draw for the first round of the Kowloon Golf Club Championship to be played on, or before November 11:—

McKellar v. Taylor, Woolley v. Bralley, Da Rosa v. Barry, Groves v. Milne, Eastman v. Collings, Wilson v. Ughart, Dennis v. Mundy, Murphy v. Allsbrook

Captain v. President Match
The following is the draw for the Captain's v. President's match of the Kowloon Golf Club, to be played on Monday, 12th instant, singles in the morning and four-balls in the afternoon:
9.00 a.m. H. H. Mundy and A. T. Bralley
9.04 " R. H. Collings and A. J. Dennis
9.08 " A. W. da Rosa and P. Allsbrook
9.12 " W. Taylor and A. L. Ughart
9.16 " F. E. Remedios and S. McNider
9.20 " W. J. Woolley and C. G. Anderson
9.24 " D. Purves and A. Andrews
9.28 " G. Charlton and W. Simpson
9.32 " W. Stoker and H. D. Gauden
9.36 " G. Moss and A. R. Brown
9.40 " D. M. Cameron and W. Burke
9.44 " W. Ahern and D. Parsons
9.48 " A. J. Coles and R. H. Cain
9.52 " G. W. Hirst and J. King

having more of the attack. The Chinese, however, also made several dangerous raids, and on almost every occasion, Morrison was responsible for breaking them up.

The teams were:—
The Army: Sgt. Cord, Pte. Morrison and Pte. Herbert. Pte. Davis, Cnr. Pardo and Pte. Jones. Pte. Mathias, Pte. McGuinness, Pte. Higgins, Cpl. Ridley and 1/Cpt. Brady.
South China: Wong Wah Kei, Leung in Chan and Chung Fat Lam. Leung Wing Chai, Wong

LOCAL GOLF

Shek O Championship

The Tenth Annual Shek O Golf Championship was played on Sunday, November 4, and won by E. J. R. Mitchell with a score of 149 with A. B. Stewart runner up with a score of 152, as per particulars below:—

E. J. R. Mitchell 73 plus 76=149
A. B. Stewart 77 " 75=152
R. M. Henderson 77 " 75=153
A. C. I. Bowker 80 " 80=160
G. S. Archbutt 81 " 83=164
I. C. F. Bellamy 82 " 87=169
H. Owen Hughes 83 " 77=160
Dr. O. H. Burton 83 " 88=171
J. W. Alabaster 91 " 84=175
A. W. Hughes 97 " 81=178

Results of the Pools were as follows:—

Morning:
R. M. Henderson 77 less 10=67
L. C. F. Bellamy 82 " 12=70
E. J. R. Mitchell 73 scratch 73
Eldon Potter 84 less 9=75
Dr. O. H. Burton 83 " 10=73

Afternoon:
R. M. Henderson 76 less 10=66
H. Owen Hughes 77 " 10=87
A. B. Stewart 75 scratch 75
J. W. Alabaster 84 less 9=75
L. C. F. Bellamy 82 " 7=75

Electric Competition held during Summer months:
E. J. R. Mitchell 27 scratch 27
J. W. Alabaster 32 less 5=27
H. B. L. Dowbiggin 34 " 5=29

At the conclusion of the Championship the usual photograph was taken, and Lt.-Col. H. B. L. Dowbiggin in introducing Lady Peel, who presented the prizes, mentioned that this was the first time in which the General Officer Commanding had competed in the Shek O Championship. After the presentation of prizes, Miss Pat Mitchell presented Lady Peel with a bouquet of red gladioli.

VILLA LUCKY

To Avoid Defeat

London, Oct. 17.
All through the game at Villa Park Everton impressed as the better combination. But they found themselves struggling to earn a point after Aston Villa took a lead through a doubtful goal.

When Astley ran towards the Everton goal and drew the defence, Waring seemed to be left in an offside position. Astley slipped the ball to his centre-forward, who shot past Sagar. Everton protested in vain.

The referee made another puzzling decision almost immediately afterwards. A dropping ball was caught by Morton, the Villa goalkeeper, while Allen was marking Dean. Allen was deemed guilty of an offence, and a penalty was awarded to Everton.

CUNLIFFE EQUALISES
Morton, however, made a brilliant save from Dean's low shot, and it was not until eight minutes from the finish that Everton drew level, Cunliffe heading through a long lob from Everton's left-half.

The other two goals had been scored by Dean—a perfect header in the first minute of the game—and Astley, who equalised for Aston Villa after half an hour.

Morton, the Villa goalkeeper, was well beaten by Cunliffe before Astley got his goal, but the ball hit the foot of the post and bounced across the face of the goal. Later in the game, after Everton's final goal, Morton kept out two excellent scoring efforts by Dean and Cunliffe.

Everton's positional play was superior to that of the Villa, and they combined better. Go, the centre-half, was usually upheld helping the forwards, yet Waring was never unmarked. He met his match in Cresswell, the veteran back, who is a master of correct positioning.

At half-back and on the wings Everton had the advantage. Villa's half-backs were too busy in defence to assist their own attackers. Astley was their least unreliable forward.

Allen was rarely conspicuous, though he suffered from an ankle injury for half the game. The Villa's best work was put in by the backs, Blair and Beeson, whose tackling was superb, and Morton, the goalkeeper.

But for these three Aston Villa would have cut a sorry figure.

Mei Shun and Yau Wa Hing; Tso Kwai Shing, Li Shiu Wing, George Sun, Cheung Sek Kam and Li Shek Yau.

LOCAL HOCKEY

Radio And Recreio Draw

A fast and hard-fought game was seen at King's Park yesterday when the Radio Sports Club first even met the Recreio in a friendly encounter, which resulted in a draw, both teams scoring once.

M. H. Hassan at centre-half for the Radio was outstanding, frustrating many of the speedy attacks by the Recreio forwards. J. Tavares gave able support and had a strenuous time stopping the fast inside right, Alves, who with A. V. Gosano showed very good combination. W. A. Reed at centre half for the Recreio team played a good game, as usual, and though he was seldom called upon to do any clearing, he fed his forwards very well.

In the first half, the Kowloon team had most of the play, but Hassan and Parduman Singh were safe, clearing with well-timed hits. Sousa was on many occasions tested and he brought off some good clearances.

After the interval with no score, the Recreio opened their account through A. V. Gosano, who scored after Reed had run past two defenders to give him a perfect pass. Recreio's lead was short lived, for five minutes later, Hassan made a solo run through three of their defence line and scored the equaliser for the Radio with a good goal. This was the last goal of the match.

THE CYCLING CLUB

The Time Trial

The Tourist Time Trial promoted by the Club on Sunday proved a great success. Unfortunately the wind was very unfavourable and only two riders qualified for certificates. Officials took up their positions at 8.30 a.m. and at 8.40 the starter despatched the riders in pairs at minute intervals.

The tourists rode hard against the oblique wind so Fanning and then took full advantage of the assisted section to Un-long. Castle Peak Cafeteria was reached at 12.10 p.m. and the riders halted for 20 mins. before battling against an extremely stiff wind over the remaining 15 1/2 miles. Only two riders finished the course inside the allotted time, and were clocked in after the elapse of 3 hrs. 52 mins.

The last riders, despatched at 10 a.m., were Messrs. Read and Anning who intended remaining in the year to collect all riders failing back. Included in the competitors was the first lady cyclist, to take part in local cycling events, Miss. Nancy Chaine who entered in company with her two brothers.

Though unable to qualify eighteen cyclists were checked near the Cafeteria all of them omitting to stop, presumably hurrying on in a belated endeavour to gain time. Of the remainder approximately ten, including the Chaine trio and Messrs. Read, Anning and Nevis of the Club, withdrew earlier or expressed their intention of completing the course.

The afternoon run under Mr. Tweedy left promptly to time and met many homeward bound riders en route to Un-long which was reached at 4.25 p.m. and the return trip was commenced at 4.45 p.m. — Shamshui was finally reached at 6.15 p.m. without further incident.

The greatest disappointment in connection with the Trial was the entire absence of representatives of the Hong Kong Wheelers. The Cycling Club Committee had made arrangements for between 60 and 70 tourists in view of a verbal communication from the Wheelers' founder, Mr. T. Wallis, that over 40 of his organization would take part.

This unfortunate situation in the face of the Cycling Club's special invitation and entrance fee reduction in their favour is most deplorable, happening, as it does, at a time when every effort should be made to strengthen the position of cycling in the Colony.

Future arrangements of the Hong Kong Cycling Club include a ride in the New Territories under Mr. E. G. Tweedy on Wednesday next, leaving the Jordan Road Ferry at 2 p.m. sharp.

Next Sunday's spin will be led by Mr. H. A. G. Keates from the same rendezvous at 9.30 a.m. Temples in the vicinity of Tai-po and Shataukok will be the centres of interest on this run. As usual, enthusiastic cyclists will be accorded a warm welcome.

YACHTING

Ladies' Races

Yesterday, at the Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club over a course of 6.5 miles, Mrs. Griffen steered Wasp II, to win the Ladies' Menagerie and Separate "A" Race from the Isobel (Miss Owen Hughes).

In the Mixed Classes (Handicap), over the same course and distance Diana (Miss Whitham) won a close race from Stella (Mrs. R. D. Mitchell) and Dorothea (Mrs. Reid). The following are the results:—
Course:—1. Holts Wharf Mark (S); 2. Kowloon Rock (S); 3. Channel Rock (S); 4. Holts Wharf Mark (S). Club Line. Distance: 6.5 miles.

"A" Class—Started at 14.50

Finished	Pen.
Carpenter	16.24.36 7
(Mrs. Kemble)	
Wasp II	16.22.21 1
(Mrs. Griffin)	
La Linda	16.23.45 6
(Mrs. Sheldon)	
Isobel	16.22.37 2
(Miss Owen Hughes)	
Joss	16.23.23 5
(Mrs. Stanton)	
Gull	16.23.06 4
(Miss J. A. Mackie)	
Cleida	16.36.42 9
(Mrs. G. Keary)	
True Blue	16.22.40 3
(Mrs. Adams)	
Pat	16.25.37 8
(Mrs. Elliott)	

Mixed Class—Started 15.00

Finished	Corr.	Pen.
Diana	16.21.32	16.20.27 1
(Miss Minna Whitham)		
Dorothea	16.28.25	16.24.05 3
(Mrs. Reid)		
Alisa	16.37.35	16.26.45 7
(Miss Blidbeck)		
Stella	16.36.20	16.22.15 2
(Mrs. R. D. Mitchell)		
Blue Jacket	16.39.02	16.28.02 5
(Mrs. Blidbeck)		
Robena	16.38.25	16.25.58 4
(Mrs. Marshall)		
Zephyr	16.39.20	16.26.20 6
(Mrs. Wren)		
Toynette	16.47.25	16.27.55 9
(Mrs. Baker)		
Serius	16.45.24	16.27.31 8
(Mrs. Finley)		
Lola	16.48.50	16.32.02 10
(Mrs. Cooper)		

SHANGHAI RACE MEETING

Second Day's Results

Shanghai, Nov. 5.

The following are the second day's results in the Shanghai Autumn Race Meeting:—
1st Race—The Hangchow Handicap (9 Furlongs)

1. Evening Flight (F. Marshall); 2. Ronaldseck (G. Neugebauer); 3. Yentao (G. Pollock). Time 2:29.4/5.
2nd Race—The Scurry Stakes (7 Furlongs)

1. White Bandit (L. H. Wade); 2. Crystal Morn (F. Marshall); 3. Detroit (C. Encarnacao). Time 1:49.4/5.
3rd Race—The Northern Cup (3/4 Miles)

1. Merry Kid (V. V. Needa); 2. Boston Drill (H. Maitland); 3. Cumshaw Morn (F. Marshall). Time: 1:31.1/5.

4th Race—The Mongolian H'cap "B" Class (1 Mile)

1. Vilmale (H. Maitland); 2. Celtic Prince (S. Judah); 3. Pandora (F. Marshall). Time: 2:13.2/5.

5th Race—The Mongolian H'cap "B" Class (1 Mile)

1. Sea Bittern (C. Encarnacao); 2. Nacrenzie (G. Bothelo); 3. Vinland (A. Raymond). Time: 2:14.2/5.

6th Race—The Shanghai St. Leger (1 1/2 Miles)

1. Don Augusto (L. H. Wade); 2. Rochester (C. Encarnacao); 3. Tango (V. V. Needa). Time: 3:54.3/5.

7th Race—The Slewaway Cup (1 1/4 Miles)

1. Mr. F. W. Sutterle, Jr.'s Castle Ribbon (V. V. Needa); 2. Peach's "Zaandam" (F. Nooit); 3. Allan's "Happy Lad" (C. Encarnacao). Time: 2 mins. 47 secs.

8th Race—The Loong-wha Cup (1 1/4 Miles)

1. Mr. H. E. McNair's Herbert Campbell (L. H. Wade); 2. Winsome and Hasty's The Golden Eagle (J. I. Kilmarin); 3. Allan's Saratoga (J. K. Brand). Time: 3 mins. 25.3/5 secs.

9th Race—The Pagoda Cup (One Mile)

1. Morn's Welcome Morn (Capt. M. M. Sokoloff); 2. Lad's Beau Lad (J. Pote-Hunt); 3. Mr. and Mrs. A. V. White's Invincible Prince (L. H. Wade). Time: 2 mins. 11 secs.

POLO CLUB GYMKHANA

Saturday's Events

Following the success of the recent Gymkhana held under the auspices of the Mounted M. G. Troop, another Gymkhana is being held on November 10. It is under the direction of the Hong Kong Polo Club, and inquiries should be addressed to Captain J. L. Jordan, 1st. South Wales Borderers.

Intending competitors are advised that all entries for the "Handy Hunters" and "Open Jumping" events should reach him not later than 12 noon on Wednesday, November 7.

Particulars of events are given below:—

2.00 p.m. Handy Hunters.—Over a course typical of Fanning Country.—Open to China Ponies only.

2.45 p.m. Shopping Race.—Competitors mounted will line up at the end of the Polo Ground. Each competitor will receive a piece of paper with the name of some article on it—on being started they will gallop to a pile of articles and search for the article on their piece of paper—having found this they will pick it up—gallop to the starting point and hand the piece of paper and article to the Judge.

3.10 p.m. Gretna Green Race.—Pairs—Lady and Gentleman.—Pairs will line up at the starting point and will be pointed out a pile of clothing. When started they will gallop over a small hurdle to their clothing—put it on—remount—and gallop back holding hands.

3.35 p.m. Whistling Race.—Pairs—Lady and Gentleman.—Gentlemen will be lined up and given the name of some well-known tune—on being started he will gallop to his partner who will be standing behind a table—

LOCAL FOOTBALL

Fixtures Altered

Hong Kong League—Division I.
(Kick-off at 4.30 p.m.)
Wednesday, November 7:—
East Lancshires v. Lincoln Regt.
Kowloon F.C. ground.

Hong Kong League—Division I.
(Kick-off at 4.15 p.m.)
Saturday, November 10:—
East Lancshires v. Royal Navy.
King's Park ground.

Division III.
(Kick-off at 2.45 p.m.)
R.A.S.C. v. Club de Recreio.
Athletic, Happy Valley ground.

he will then drink a glass of liquid, eat a biscuit and whistle the tune to his partner—she will write the name of the tune down and he will gallop back to the Starting Point with the chit.

4.00 p.m. Obstacle Race.—Competitors will be dismounted—on the word "GO" competitors will mount—jump a flight of hurdles—gallop to a small rail-dismount—jump over rail and make pony jump after them—mount and eat an orange tied to a post—gallop on to some carrots and pony eats carrots, then on to a bucket containing fruit—pick the fruit out of the bucket with the mouth and put it on the ground—unsaddle pony—remount bareback and gallop to the "FINISHING LINE."

4.25 p.m. Open Jumping.—Open to China Ponies only.

5.00 p.m. Ricksha Race.—Pairs—Lady and Gentleman.—Pairs will be lined up at the end of the Polo Ground—On the word "GO" pairs will gallop to the other end of the Polo Ground, give their ponies to grooms—the lady will get into the Ricksha and will be pulled by the gentleman to the "FINISHING POST."

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NEWS AND COMMENTS FROM THE NORTH

RECONSTRUCTION IN CHINA

Modern Progress Comes To Hsikang

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Shanghai, Oct. 30. Hsikang, the large and sparsely-populated province in the distant interior of China, lying between China Proper and the Lama Dependency of Tibet, after having been consistently neglected in the past by Government after Government, which were principally concerned with fighting revolt and disorder nearer home, is at last receiving its due share of attention from the present rulers of the Republic. Not being the source of revenue, but rather the scene of frequent attention only when some unusually troublesome muddle had arisen, which "required" to be liquidated through the medium of a costly punitive expedition, in order to prevent the disorder from spreading to the neighbouring province of Szechuen. Its wealth consists mostly in its large herds of yak and sheep, while its other resources remain quite untapped in view of the inaccessibility of the region.

Growing interest in this hinterland province is being shown by the present Government, evidenced by the numerous survey and other expeditions now being sent into this remote area. For it has been appreciated that a wise and kindly administration to safeguard peace and order there, can do much to help stability elsewhere. Disorders in Hsikang, for instance, cannot but have unfortunate repercussions in Tibet, which would be a misfortune now that the relations between that lama dependency and China Proper are being strengthened: while, on the other side, evil reactions on Szechuen means affecting a province the size of France! Hence, Hsikang is now coming into its own, and getting the benefits of modern progress which are being brought into the North-West.

Strategic places in the province are being provided with radio-stations, linking up with Nanking. As these are directly controlled by the Ministry of Communications,

and free from local military interference, commercial enterprise is able to make use of the new facilities without restriction. It may be readily imagined how much this progressive step is appreciated when it is realised that, whereas several weeks of tedious travel were necessary to communicate with the outside world by the speediest means of transport available in those regions, now the advent of wireless enables the merchant in Hsikang to communicate instantly with his agent or firm in Nanking, Peiping, Shanghai, or Calcutta.

Improved Communication

Another progressive step foreshadowed for the very near future is the opening of several Chinese post-offices throughout the length and breadth of the province. In connection with these plans an inspector of posts, Mr. Chang, sent from Nanking, has been touring Hsikang very extensively with a view to finding the most suitable places for the new establishments. The old post-offices previously established being no more than a mere half-dozen in number in the most important towns. Proceeding simultaneously with Mr. Chang's survey, is another official one, to discover the possibilities of building motor-roads to link ultimately with the growing network of roads in other parts of the country. The difficulty of the task will be prodigious, as there are for instance, thirteen high passes, the lowest of which is over 14,000 feet above sea level, to be crossed on the way out from the well-known and important city of Tachienlu. However, at least, the main north road leading out from Lhasa, the ancient well-worn caravan route used for centuries—admits of development into a motor road, and as it passes through the most populous and richest part of Hsikang and numerous influential families, the project will probably be taken in hand before very long.

HONAN NOTES

Co-operation With Missionaries

Kaifeng, Ho. Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek and Madame Chiang arrived in Kaifeng by special train from Lo-yang. Their visit which had been eagerly anticipated for the past week, was the occasion for a reception by the whole community. The streets were freshly cleaned and watered, the national flag was displayed from every shop and home, welcoming banners were hung across the main thoroughfares and ornamental pavilions were erected along the Chung Shan Boulevard. The leading officials and other dignitaries of the city were at the station to welcome the party. Chairman Liu went to Chenchow to bring the party over while Madame Liu awaited the arrival of Madame Chiang at the Kaifeng station.

The party was taken in motor cars to the Government buildings where the Generalissimo addressed the local representatives of the provincial government.

Madame Chiang expressed a desire to meet the missionary body working in this capital city. When assured that this could be arranged, she sent her personal representative around to the different missions to invite them to a tea party at the Governor's yamen. Practically all the missionaries in the city responded to this most gracious invitation from the chief lady of the land. All were greatly impressed by her winsome personality and charming manners as she spoke to each of the guests. The Generalissimo also graced the gathering with his presence.

Bad Old Days Past

At the tea table Generalissimo Chiang spoke most appreciatively of the good work done by the missionary body in China. He assured all that not only were the days of opposition and oppression passed, but that the time of mere toleration was at an end. He said that under the present government, it would be the policy to give the utmost freedom to, and active co-operation with, the work of the missionaries. He explained in detail the purpose of the New Life Movement which he has been promoting throughout the country. It is not a mere regimentation or disciplinary movement to control the people, but aims at the moral, cultural and social uplift of the masses. He called upon Mr. Liu to make use of the experience of the missionary body in promoting the objectives of the New Life Movement and asked the hearty co-operation of the missionary body.

Madame Chiang next spoke to the company in English. She read from the report of an impartial witness, testifying what had actually been accomplished in rehabilitating Kiangsi province. She expressed confidence that what had been done in Kiangsi might also be done in Honan if officials and missionaries would co-operate fully to this end. She made a special appeal to the lady missionaries to co-operate with Madame Liu in initiating a better homes movement; for she felt that was the most fundamental of all needs. Madame Chiang explained how the organization of the Pei Tung Tui (Special Movement Corps) had put an end to military oppression of the people and asked Mr. Liu to organize some of his ablest young officers to carry out this important phase of the New Life Movement.

Co-operation Assured

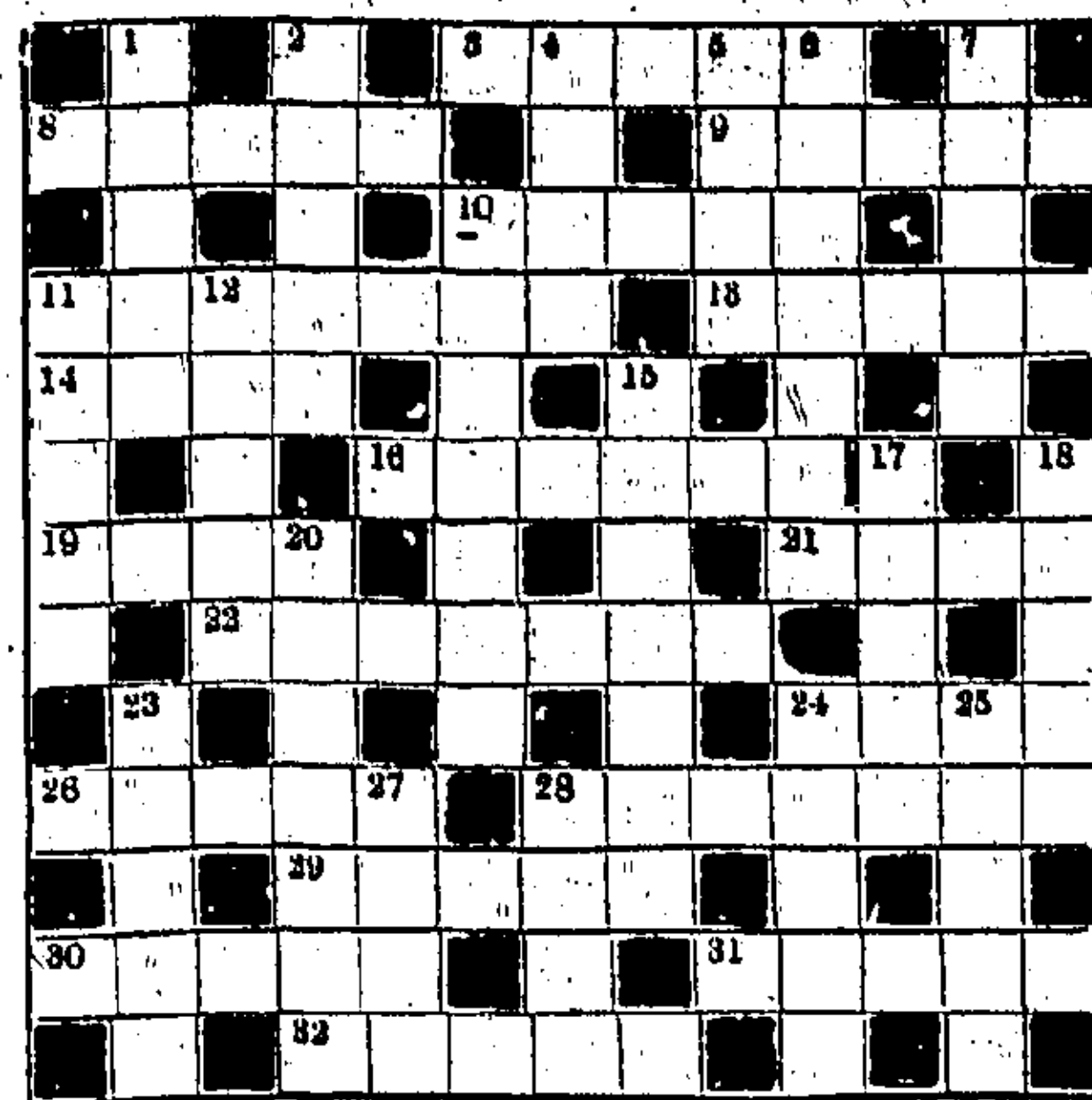
Canon Simmons of the Canadian Church Mission, senior missionary in Kaifeng, responded most heartily. On behalf of the twenty-odd missionaries present, he assured them and Mr. Liu of the eagerness of the missionaries to do everything in their power to co-operate in every genuine effort to uplift the people morally and spiritually as well as economically and educationally.

A committee, representative of the five missions present, was immediately formed to co-operate with Mr. and Madame Liu in their efforts to make the New Life Movement more effective in Honan.

It was a disappointment that Mr. Marshall Chang Hsueh-liang, who had accompanied the party on the north-west tour, owing to pressing duties, returned to Hankow and so did not come to Kaifeng. His friends were somewhat soled to learn from his foreign adviser, Mr. Donald, that the Young Marshal is in excellent health and enthusiastically undertaking his work in Central China.

The Generalissimo's large aeroplane arrived in Kaifeng simultaneously with the train, and after dipping in salute, landed in preparation to taking the party on by

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CLUES

Across.—3. Treatise. 8. Frets. 9. Unfastened. 10. B.P.'s product. 11. Claim beforehand. 13. Moral. 14. Wiles. 16. Play. 19. Gem. 21. Pretence. 22. Gaining. 24. Mount. 26. Earthen pot. 28. Esteem. 29. Desirous. 30. Gets up. 31. Atom. 32. Abstruseness.

Yesterday's solution:—

Across.—1. Vehicle. 5. Dirge. 8. Wavered. 9. Place. 10. Yea. 12. Decamp. 15. Trying. 16. Select. 17. Rash. 19. Dyed. 20. Seclude. 22. Corner. 23. Rented. 26. Ass. 28. Aloes. 29. Heroine. 30. Mason. 31. Wrecked.

Down.—1. Shrink. 2. Sly looks. 4. Framework. 5. This is it. 6. Reels. 7. Jelled dish. 10. Wise. 11. Staff. 12. Cornstalk. 15. Tightening tool. 17. Palm. 18. Well dressed. 20. Flax seed. 23. Bear. 24. Thin. 25. Bitter. 27. Comfort. 28. Remain.

LINK UP OF AIR LINES

Move to Facilitate Communication

Canton, Nov. 5. With a view to facilitating communication, the China Aviation Corporation recently proposed to link up all the air lines separately established by them, namely the Shanghai-Canton line, the Peiping-Canton line, the Shanghai-Lanchow line, the Canton-Lungchow line, the Canton-Hainan-Nanning line, and the Nanning-Kweiyang line. It is learned that the Southwest Aviation Corporation has sent a representative to Shanghai to make arrangements with the other two corporations.

The plane "Tienlong" which hopped off the other day for a trial flight on the Nanning-Kweiyang line was forced to turn back to Leuchow on account of bad weather near Ho-shieh on the border of Kweichow. It returned to this city on 2nd instant. According to the Southwest Aviation Corporation, the plane will fly again in two or three days.—Central Press.

ENGLAND TO DESPATCH NAVAL COMMISSION

Chinese Government Request

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press").
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London, Nov. 5. At the request of the Chinese Government, England will despatch a naval commission to East Asia for the purpose of the reorganization of the Chinese fleet. The British commission will be headed by Captain Morse.—Transocean Kuo Min.

H.B.M.'S MINISTER

British Community Prepares Welcome

Canton, Nov. 5. Sir Alexander Cadogan, British Minister to China, will inspect the conditions of his nationals in South China. A telegram received by Mr. J. A. Martin, local British Consul, states that the British diplomat will arrive in Amoy on November 17 by H.B.M.'s cruiser Suffolk. Mr. Martin left town last Monday by the s. s. Yuchow to meet Sir Alexander at Shanghai. The local British community is preparing a rousing welcome for the visiting Minister. Sir Alexander will leave for Swatow on November 20.

air to Tainan in the morning. Mrs. Anderson, the efficient private secretary to Madame Chiang, is also accompanying the party on this extensive tour.



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RENT TAX

To Be Used For Air Defence

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, Nov. 5. The police authorities were instructed to-day to begin collection of the rent tax from landlords of houses, shops and wharves to the extent of one month. The money is to be used for air defence of Canton.

To lighten the burdens of the people, the police authorities have received instructions to collect only rent for half month on November 8 and finish the work by the end of December. The second instalment will be payable on January 1, 1935, and all payments must be received by the end of February.

Posters indicating that the rent tax has been paid will be posted on those houses and wharves whose owners have contributed their share for air defence.

Property owners are told that their rent is to be used for the protection of their houses and that they should not delay in paying this tax, which is to be collected by the different police stations in Canton.

With regard to those buildings occupied by the owners, the assessment of the tax is based on \$120 for each thousand dollars value of the property. The rate is also payable in two instalments "for the convenience of the landlords."

Each police station has a record of the rent of each house within its jurisdiction, hence it is impossible for the landlords to defraud the government by reporting a lower rental rate.

Canton is the only city in China where heavy rent tax can be imposed from time to time. Such collection was made in other northern cities, but a veritable hornet's nest was created, with the result that no further collection is attempted.

After collecting several rent taxes, General Chen Ming Shu,

POLO IN THE PAST

Played In China In A.D. 709

Peking, Oct. 27. Young cavalry officers of the Chinese army stationed in Peking are taking up the ancient game of polo, once popular in this country but long neglected. The cavalry regiment of the 32nd Route Army, under Gen. Shang Chen, acting Chairman of the Peking Branch Military Council, has the honour of being the first unit in the Chinese army to tackle the game. Fifteen officers of the regiment, between the ages of 20 and 25 years, are now taking lessons in polo at the Nanyuan airfield, where the regiment is quartered. Gen. Shang Chen is taking lessons himself.

Invented in Persia, polo has had a long history in China. Lately, however, it has not been played and has been left largely to Western sportsmen, being taken to England in 1871 by officers serving in India. The first polo match on record was played in A.D. 709, at the Imperial Court of Changan, between Chinese Princes and Tibetan ambassadors, who had arrived from Lhasa to receive a daughter of the Chinese Emperor who was to marry the King of Tibet.

Polo was adopted in China as an army exercise in preparation for war. There is a story of an old general who used to place a pile of ten coins on the polo ground, and, galloping upon his horse, strike one off with his club each time he passed, knocking it 70 to 80 ft. in the air.

as Chairman of Kwangtung Provincial Government in 1930, declared that thereafter no more rent tax would be imposed on Canton landlords. Since he was ousted, his declaration has no effect.

DAILY SHARE QUOTATIONS

Hong Kong Stock Exchange Sharebrokers' Association

MONDAY, NOV. 5.			
Buyers	Sellers	Share	Share
Banks			
\$1,030		H.K. Banks	\$1,030
		Co. (London)	
		Chartered Bank	
		Mercantile Bk. S.	
		Do.	
		Bank of East Asia	
		N. O. & S. Bank	
		Am. O. Fin. Corp. S.	
		Ch. Fin. Corp. Ord. S.	
		Do. Prof. S.	
		Insurance	
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		Union Insurance	
		China Fire	
		H.K. Fire	
		International Asso. S.	
		Shipping	
		Douglas	
		Steamboats	
		Indos (pref.)	
		Do. (inf.)	
		Shells	
		Water	
		Mining	
		Antamoks	
		Balacoo	
		Bagoi Gold	
		Benguet Consolidated	
		Do. Exploration	
		Do. Goldfield	
		Big Wedge	
		Gold River	
		Gold Creek	
		United Paracales	
		Salacot Mining	
		Ipo Mining	
		Itogons	
		Kailas	
		Langkat (single) S.	
		Explorations S.	
		Shanghai Loans S.	
		Rauba	
		Venezuela Gold Fld.	
		Docks, Wharves, Godowns, etc.	
		H.K. & K. Wharves	
		Providents (old)	
		Do. (new)	
		H.K. & W. Docks	
		S. China, Motors	
		Shanghai Docks S.	
		New Engineering S.	
		Hongkong S.	
		lands, Hotels, and Buildings	
		H.K. Hotels	
		H.K. Lands	
		Do. 4% Debentures	
		Shanghai Lands S.	
		Metropolitan Lands	
		H.K. Realities	
		China Do.	
		Do. Debentures S.	
		Humphreys	
		New Asia Hotel	
		Asia Realities "A" S.	
		Do. "B" S.	
		China Estates	
		Cotton Mills	
		Ewos	
		Shat Cottons (old) S.	
		Do. (new) S.	
		Zong Singa	
		Wing On Textiles (S.)	
		Public Utilities	
		Tramways	
		Peak Trans (old)	
		Do. (new)	
		Star Ferries	
		Yamat Ferries	
		China Lights (old)	
		Do. (new)	
		H.K. Electric	
		Macao do	
		Jandakan Lights	
		Telephones (old)	
		Do. (new)	
		China Buses S.	
		Tractions	
		Do. (pref.)	
		Industries	
		Malabon Sugars	
		Caldbeck, (ord.) S.	
		Macgregors (pref.) S.	
		Canton Ice	
		Cements	
		Ropes	
		Miscellaneous	
		Dairy Farms	
		Der A Wing	
		Amusements	
		Ob. Entertainment	
		Constructions (old)	
		Do. (new)	
		Lane Crawford	
		Macintosh	
		Nanyang Tobacco	
		Sincere	
		Watsons	
		Wm. Powell	
		M. Greyhound	
		S. O. Enterprises	
		United Theatres S.	
		Ch. G. 1925-26 S.	
		H.K. Govt. 4% Loans	
		Do. 5% S.	
		Wallace Harper	
		H.K. Wing On	
		Wai Do	
		Vibro Piling	

NEW YORK STOCK AND COMMODITY QUOTATIONS

AMERICAN ORIENTAL FINANCE CORPORATION AND S. E. LEVY & CO.

The following mid-day prices were received last night from New York by The American Oriental Finance Corporation and Messrs. S. E. Levy & Co.

COMMODITIES			
	Nov. 3	Nov. 5	
	Close	Open	10.30 10.40 11.00
Sterling, New York-London	497 1/2	499 1/2	499 1/2
Cotton: December	12.13	12.08	12.07 12.06
Cotton: March	12.20	12.17	12.18 12.14
Silver: December	52.70	52.40	52.40 52.55
Silver: March	53.65	53.20	53.20 53.20
Silk: December	117 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2
Rubber: December	12.97	12.88	12.91 12.89
Rubber: March	13.34	13.23	13.23 13.24
Wheat: December	98 1/2	98 1/2	98 1/2
Wheat: May	96 1/2	96 1/2	96 1/2
Corn: May	77 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2
Winnipeg Wheat May	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2
STOCKS			
American Smelting	35	34 1/2	35 35 35
Auburn	25	25	25 25 25
Consolidated Gas of N.Y.	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2 26 1/2
Du Pont	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2 92 1/2
El. Bond and Share	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2 9 1/2
General Motors	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2 29 1/2
Int. Tel. and Tel.	9	9	9 9 9
Loew's Inc.	30 1/2	30 1/2	31 31 31
Montgomery W.	27 1/2	27 1/2	28 27 28
National Distillers	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2 22 1/2
N.Y. Central	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2 20 1/2
Standard Oil Co. of N.J.	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2 41 1/2
U.S. Steel	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2 32 1/2

COMMODITIES PRICES

New York, Nov. 3.

New York Cotton

November 3

Closing Opening Closing

Dec. 12.07 12.10 12.07 12.10 12.12

Jan. 12.00 12.11 12.10 12.14 12.14

Mar. 12.18 12.17 12.16 12.19 12.20

May 12.16 12.16 12.15 12.22 12.23

July 12.15 12.16 12.17 12.20 12.21

Oct. 11.90 11.95 11.93 11.95 11.96

(1935)

Spot 12.30 12.35

New York Rubber

Dec. 13.62 13.12 13.15 12.97 12.97

Jan. 13.72 13.23 13.25 13.08 13.08

Mar. 13.93 13.43 13.45 13.32 13.34

May 14.14 13.64 13.67 13.57 13.58

July 14.37 13.88 13.89 13.75 13.75

Sept. 14.57 14.13 14.14 14.00 14.00

Total sales: 267 lots

Chicago Wheat

Dec. 99 1/2 99 1/2 99 1/2 99 1/2

May 96 1/2 96 1/2 96 1/2 96 1/2

July 90 1/2 90 1/2 90 1/2 90 1/2

Friday's sales: 27,295,000 bushels

Chicago Corn

Dec. 78 1/2 78 1/2 77 1/2 77 1/2

May 78 1/2 78 1/2 77 1/2 77 1/2

July 77 1/2 77 1/2 76 1/2 76 1/2

Total sales: 10,141,000 bushels

Winnipeg Wheat

Dec. 78 1/2 78 1/2 77 1/2 77 1/2

May 83 1/2 83 1/2 82 1/2 82 1/2

July 80 1/2 80 1/2 79 1/2 79 1/2

Total sales: 7,000 tons

New York Silk

Dec. 1.17 1.17 1.17 1.17

Mar. 1.18 1.18 1.18 1.18

May 1.19 1.19 1.19 1.19

Market closed

Montreal Silver

Dec. 52.70 52.30 52.50 52.50 52.70

Mar. 53.69 53.30 53.80 53.80 53.65

May 54.15 53.80 53.95 53.90 54.25

July 54.55 54.00 54.40 54.40 54.55

Total sales: 10 contracts

Bld. = Bid. N = Nominal.

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BUYERS

Underwriters, \$1.10.

Gold Rivers, 21 cents.

United Paracales, 33 cents.

Rauha, \$104.

Hotels, \$4.45.

Humphreys, \$8.

Wharves, \$107 1/2.

Providents (Old), \$14.

Docks, \$12.80.

Yamat Ferries, \$22 1/2.

Lights (Old), \$8.70.

Lights (New), \$8.70.

Canton Ice, \$3.

Ropes, \$2 1/2.

Constructions (Old), \$1.60.

Constructions (New), 75 cents.

Nanyangs, \$4.65.

Gold S Bonds, 85 per cent.

Govt. Loan 4 per cent, 8 per cent.

Govt. Loan 3 1/2 per cent, 2 per cent.

S.C. Enterprise, \$1.20.

SELLERS

Gold Rivers, 22 cents.

Humphreys, \$9 1/2.

Ewos, \$10.

Lights (Old), \$8.80.

SALES

Hotels, \$4.55.

Humphreys, \$9.15.

Ewos, \$9.90.

ANTI-RED WAR

Attack On Other Strongholds

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, Nov. 5.

Nanking troops are now planning to attack Juchin and Yutub, Red strongholds in Southern Kiangsi, following the occupation of Changting in Western Fukien. It is even said that these two towns have been evacuated by the Reds and can be taken without fighting.

This report is partly confirmed by the fact that the main forces of the Communists are located in Western Kiangsi and Eastern Hunan. An official report stated that Nanking in Northern Kwangtung below Kiangsi is all quiet, and that tends to show that the Reds have migrated from the Kiangsi-Kwangtung borders to the Hunan-Kwangtung borders.

Lieut.-Gen. Li Hon Wan, commanding officer of the third independent division, and Brig.-General Chen Hon Kwong, commanding officer of the Protective Guards, left to-day for Lohchang to direct operations against the Reds.

The Cantonese troops so far are on the defensive, as official reports merely stated that the Communists raids were successfully repulsed.

CHINA-MANILA SERVICE

Inaugurated Soon

Canton, Nov. 5.

The local office of the China Merchants' Steam Navigation Co. has announced that the Head Office will alter the sailing schedule of China Merchants' vessels. Four new vessels, constructed in London, namely, Hai Yuan, Hai Heng, Hai Lee, Hai Tin, will soon be ready for service. The s.s. Hai Yuan will be in Shanghai on December 2. She will sail between Shanghai and Canton via Amoy, Swatow, and Hong Kong, while the two old steamers, Tung Hwa and Kia Ho, will run between Shanghai and Amoy directly.

S.S. Poo An will sail between Manila and Amoy. This line will be inaugurated next month. The other three vessels have not yet arrived, consequently no schedule has so far been made for them.

"PAROLE GIRL"

Showing At The Alhambra

What happens to a young girl out of prison on parole, is the theme of "Parole Girl," a Columbia feature which the Alhambra Theatre is now showing. Mae Clarke appears in the title role. Ralph Bellamy plays opposite, with Marie Prevost, Hale Hamilton and Ferdinand Gottschalk in prominent parts.

The production concerns a young girl innocently drawn into the confidence game by a slick racketeer, who through aiding her father at some time, hold her under obligation. Hale Hamilton is "Tony," a suave gangster; Marie Prevost portrays "Jeanie," a hard-bolled but lovable character, who throws bricks at women rivals for her man. There are several outstanding comedy sequences.

A thrilling high-light of the picture is a realistic prison fire. Scheming to win her parole, Miss Clarke sets fire to a pile of felt clippings. She manages to extinguish the fire, saving the lives of the inmates and winning her parole.

Once out of the penitentiary, she seeks revenge on one "Joe Smith," who is portrayed by Ralph Bellamy, who was indirectly responsible for her plight, only to fall in love with him instead.

Ferdinand Gottschalk plays "Taylor," an eccentric department store owner and boss of Bellamy.

Eddie Cline directed this Columbia production from the screen play by Norman Krasna, who's author of "So This Is Africa," (Wheeler and Woolsey Columbia feature), and the New York stage success, "Louder, Please."

FANTASTIC FUN

"She Loves Me Not" At The Queen's

A brand-new, popular starring combination, Paramount's film version of the smash Broadway success, "She Loves Me Not" is showing at the Queen's Theatre, with Bing Crosby and Miriam Hopkins in the principal roles. Acting the role of a love-sick chivalrous Princeton student, Crosby sings and wows his way to the great romance with the daughter of the university dean, after Miriam Hopkins, as the madcap, flamboyant little night-club dancer, enters his life, and leaves him a sadder but wiser college lad.

Beginning with an utterly fantastic and ludicrous situation, the film in its rapid progress pokes derisive fun at colleges, the motion picture industry, the newspapers, communists, gangsters and most of the familiar American institutions. Yet there is in its sparkling comedy not a trace of rancour or bitterness.

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QUOTATIONS

New York, November 4.

	High	Low	Close	Today's	Change
New York/London Cross-rate	4.95 1/2	4.98	4.98 1/2	4.98 1/2	unchanged
New York Cotton—December	12.13	12.03	12.07	12.13	0.06 up
New York Rubber—December	13.30	12.93	13.84	13.97	0.05 up
Chicago Wheat—December	94 1/2	94 1/2	94 1/2	94 1/2	1/2 off
Chicago Corn—December	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2	1/2 off
Montreal Silver—December	52.70	52.50	52.70	52.70	unchanged
Silver—Official	—	—	63 1/2	63 1/2	1/2 off

Dow Jones Averages, High—1933/34	Low	Nov. 2	Nov. 3	Change	
30 Industrials	110.78	84.38	84.42	84.86	.53 up
20 Rails	55.94	32.56	34.73	31.76	.03 up
20 Utilities	37.73	18.80	19.26	19.39	.10 up
40 Bonds	95.48	84.73	83.89	93.95	.06 up
11 Commodity Index	85.45	41.98	56.43	57.59	.84 off



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*(NDL) s.s. "TRIER" ... for Shanghai, Taku Bar, Dairen, Tsingtau, Yokohama, Kobe ... 17th Nov.
*(HAL) m.v. "SAUERLAND" for Shanghai, Taku, Dairen, Kobe, Osaka, Yokohama, Nagoya ... 22nd Nov.
*(NDL) m.s. "TRAVE" ... for Shanghai, Taku Bar, Dairen, Tsingtau, Yokohama, Kobe ... 28th Nov.
*(HAL) s.s. "OLDENBURG" for Shanghai, Taku, Dairen, Tsingtau, Kobe, Caska, Yokohama ... 7th Dec.
*(NDL) s.s. "SAFBRUECKEN" for Shanghai, Yama, Kobe ... 13th Dec.

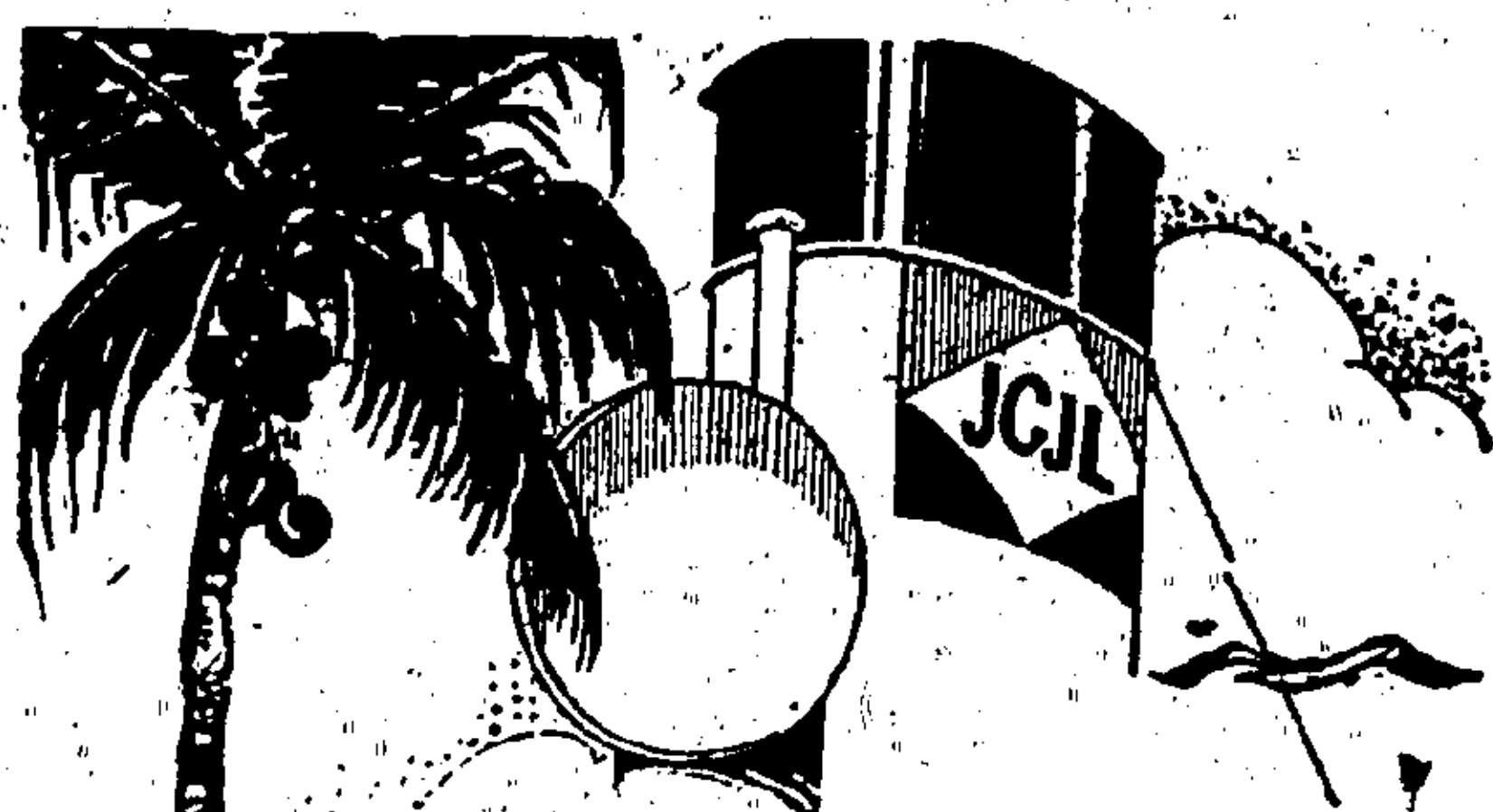
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(NDL) s.s. "WIEGAND" ... for Naples, Genoa, Rotterdam, H'burg, Bremen ... 11th Nov.
*(HAL) m.v. "RUHR" ... for Genoa, Marseilles, R'dam, Hamburg ... 12th Nov.
*(NDL) s.s. "MAIN" ... for Genoa, M'les, Barcelona, R'dam, H'burg, Bremen ... 22nd Nov.
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THE EXCHANGE MARKET

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Silver prices at 23 1/2 for Ready and 23 1/2 for Forward were 1/8 down for both deliveries. A small business was done in the market, China as a seller and speculators as buyers. In New York the rate was 53 1/2.

Sterling was quoted at the opening of the market in New York at 49 1/2 and closed at 49 1/2.

Very dull. A small demand eased the tone. Business was small.

Sterling

Opened with sellers at 1/16 for near and 1/7 1/16 January leading to business at 1/7 1/16 for January delivery followed later by transactions at 1/7 21/32 January and 1/7 1/16 for December and second half of December. The market closed at lunch time with sellers at 1/7 9/16 November 1/7 19/32 December and 1/7 1/16 January, buyers at 1/32 higher respectively.

U.S. Dollars

Business was done during the early part of the morning at 40 1/16 for cash. Later offers at 40 1/2 were also arranged for December delivery. The market closed at lunch time with sellers at 40 9/16 November, 40 1/2 December and 40 1/16 January, buyers at 1/16 higher respectively.

Shanghai Dollars

Sellers at 12 1/2 for near, buyers at 12 1/2 November. Shanghai Market Sterling 1/4 1/16 but easier at the close at 1/4. Dollars 33 1/2 for near delivery and 33 3/16 forward. The forward rate eased slightly to 33 1/2.

IN THE AFTERNOON

The market continued easy in the afternoon.

Sterling

In Sterling no business was reported, finishing with sellers at 1/7 17/32 November, 1/7 9/16 December and probably 1/7 19/32 January, buyers at 1/32 higher respectively.

U.S. Dollars

A small business was done at 40 1/2 for cash and also November. The market closed with sellers at 40 9/16 near and 40 1/2 December, buyers at 1/16 higher respectively.

Shanghai Market

The market was closed this afternoon.

H. K. STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

The market opened and remained quiet throughout the day, and only a few transactions were reported.

SALES

Hotels, \$4.55.
BUYERS
Hong Kong Banks, \$1,630.
Union Insurance, \$515.
Underwriters, \$110.
Raubs, \$11.
Wharves, \$107.
Docks, \$124.
Providents (Old), \$155.
Ewo Cottons, \$9,950.
Hotels, \$4.60.
Yaumati Ferries, \$224.
Singapore Traction, 4/3.
Singapore Traction (Pref.), 17/0.
Canton Tees, \$3.
Constructions (New), 75 cts.
Govt. 3 1/2 per cent. Loan, 2 1/2 per cent. Prem.
SELLERS
Sandakan Lights, \$3.

LONDON EXCHANGE RATES

(BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE)

On	Sterling Parity	Nov. 1	Nov. 3
Amsterdam	12.10 Florins	7.36 1/2	7.35 1/2
Athens	375 Drachmas	517 1/2	520 1/2
Belgrade	276,316 Dinars	219	—
Berlin	30.43 Marks	12.39	12.38
Bombay	1s. 6d. per Rupee	1/6 1/16	1/6 1/16
Brussels	35 Belgas	21.37	21.31
Bucharest	813,968 Lei	500	498
Buenos Aires	47,583 per Peso	36 1/2 S.O.	36 1/2 S.O.
Copenhagen	18.150 Kroner	22.40	22.40
Geneva	93.224 Francs	15.30 1/2	15.29
Hamburg	193.23 Marks	22 1/2	22 1/2
Hongkong	—	1/7 7/16	1/7 1/16
Lisbon	110 Escudos	110 1/2	110 1/2
Madrid	25.224 Pesetas	36 15/32	36 7/16
Milan	99.46 Lire	58 5/32	58 3/16
Montevideo	50.88d. per Peso	39 1/2 S.O.	39 1/2 S.O.
Montréal	4.87 Dollars	4.87	4.87
New York	4.87 Dollars	4.88	4.97 1/2
Oso	18.150 Kroner	19.90 1/2	19.90 1/2
Paris	184.21 Francs	75 19/32	75 17/32
Prague	164.25 Kronen	119 1/2	119 3/16
Rio de Janeiro	26.933 per Gold Milreis	41 S.O.	41 S.O.
Shanghai	—	1/4	1/4
Stockholm	18.150 Kroner	19.39 1/2	19.39 1/2
Vienna	34.55 Schillings	26 1/2	26 1/2
Yokohama	24.58d. per Yen	1/2	1/2
Silver (spot)	—	—	23 1/2
Silver (forward)	—	—	23 1/2
War Loan	—	7 1/2	—

Closing Quotations

November 5, 1934

November 5, 1934		ON NEW YORK:—	
UN LONDON:—		Bank Bills, on demand	4 1/2
Telegraphic Transfer	1 1/2	Credits, 60 days sight	4 1/2
Bank Bills, on demand	1 1/2	ON BATAVIA:—	
Bank Bills, 4 months	1 1/2	On demand	59
sight	1 7/8	ON PANAMA:—	
Credits, four months	1 7/8	Bank Bills, on demand	6 1/2
sight	1 7/8	Credits, 4 months sight	6 1/2
ON SHANGHAI:—		ON SINGAPORE:—	
On Demand	130	On demand	6 1/2
ON SINGAPORE:—		ON JAPAN:—	
On demand	6 1/2	On demand	128
ON JAPAN:—		ON INDIA:—	
On demand	128	Telegraphic Transfer	10 1/2
ON INDIA:—		ON SOERABAYA:—	
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		ON SOERABAYA:—	
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		Credits, 60 days sight	10 1/2
		ON SOERABAYA:—	
		Bank, on demand	10 1/2
		Credits, 60 days sight	10 1/2
		ON SOERABAYA:—	
		Bank, on demand	10 1/2

SHANGHAI MARKET COMMENT

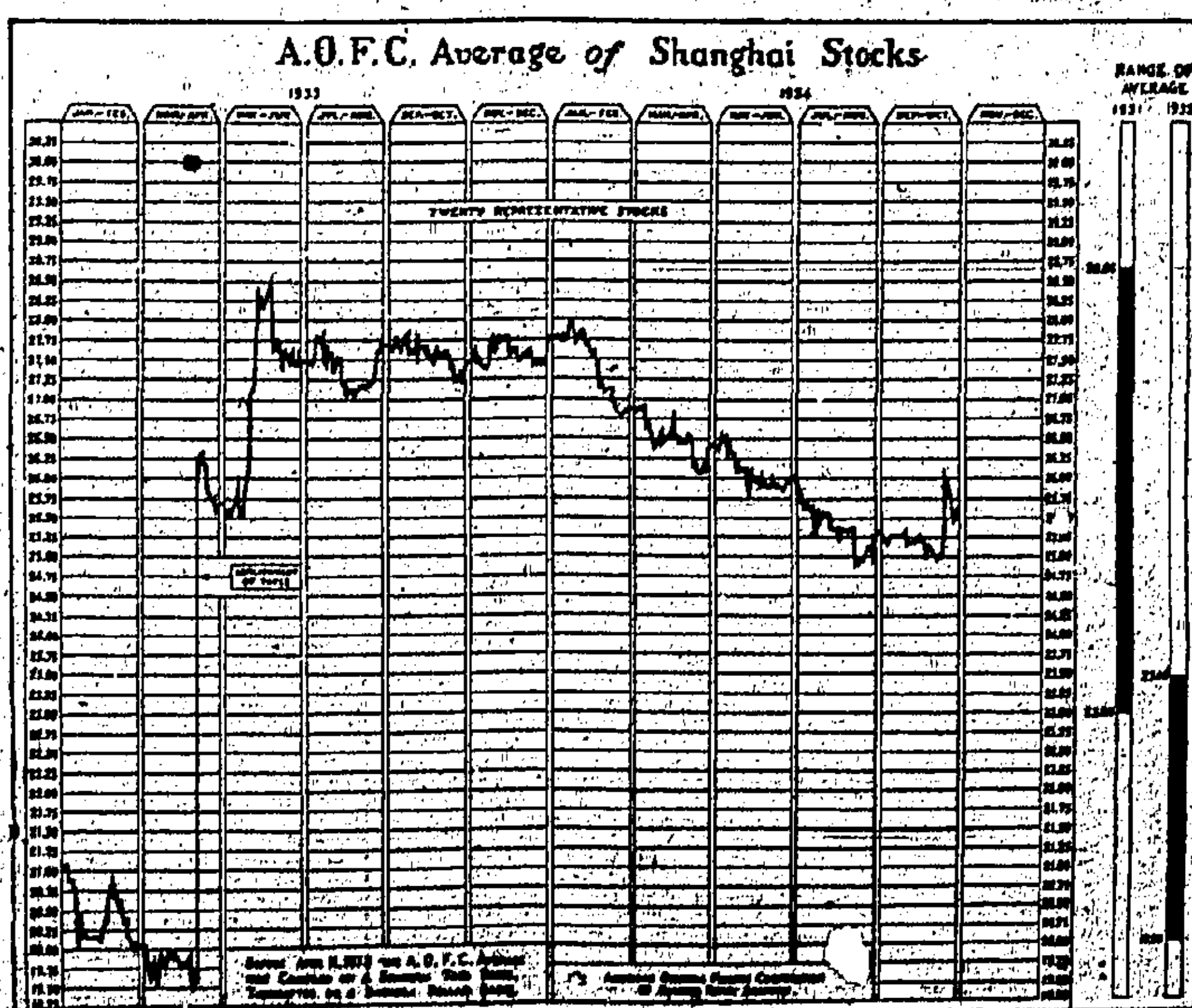
Shanghai, October, 31.
The rubber share market opened dull and unchanged last Tuesday but later on the market, armed up by Senawangs, closing with good buyers for practically all stocks. There was only a moderate interest displayed in the general market with Shanghai Lands, Chinese Engineering and Mining, Exploration in the limelight. The half-day session on Wednesday was without any exceptional feature. The rubber section was steady and the general market was dull. The small turn over of Thursday was due to the approaching settlement which took place on the 30th. With the exception of Trams B there was little passing the general market, business recorded being as follows: 1,100 Trams B at 39.50 October, 250 International Assurance at 5.60 and 250 at 5.65 cash. In addition some Shanghai Waterworks "c" and Shanghai Power Preferred shares were traded in. The rubber section continued to be steady on Friday, business however consisted only in the squaring of accounts for the coming September settlement. The only feature of interest in the general market was a transaction of 2 lakhs of Shanghai Power Debentures 99 cash. The half-day session in both the general and rubber sections was extremely quiet on Saturday with nothing of outstanding interest to report. Except the squaring

off of the October settlement there was little business passing Monday in either the rubber or general sections of the Shanghai Stock Market. Some business was done in Ewos at 11 cash, Trams B changed hands at 39.25 October and 200 New Engineering share holders sold at 5.55 cash. Unlike the usual activity at the end of a month, the Chinese Government Bond Market was quiet during the last week of October. On the four days preceding the close of October trading, only a normal turn over was recorded daily. Despite the small size of the average transaction the market took on a bullish tendency due to the shorts among some operators who had been expected lower prices. The buying for cover sent the market up on the last 2 days before October trading closed but as the strength was artificial it gave way to more normal reactions on Friday when business was confined to November delivery. Upon the removal of October quotations the market reacted to normal influences and began to loose ground during the day.

RAW RUBBER

Messrs. H. B. Joseph & Co received the following Straits Currency quotations (Buyers) from Singapore for Raw Rubber.
Jan-Mar. 22 down 1/2.
April-June 23 1/2 down 1/2.
Market—Weak.

Telephones (Old), \$234.
Cements, \$2.15.



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S.S. "PRESIDENT HOOVER"

Sails from Hong Kong ... Noon—Dec. 1
Arrives San Francisco ... Dec. 19

S.S. "PRESIDENT GRANT"

Sails from Hong Kong ... Mid-night—Dec. 7
Arrives Seattle ... XMAS DAY

CONSIGNEE NOTICES

MAERSK LINE.
NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE M.S. "NORA MAERSK" having arrived from New York and Ports of call, Consignees of Cargo are hereby notified that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk into the Hong Kong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown Company's godowns at Kowloon, where delivery may be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after Monday, 5th November, 1934, will be subject to Rent. All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on Saturday, 2nd November, 1934, at 10 a.m., by our Surveyors, Messrs. Goddard & Douglas. To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations, consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged or dutiable goods are examined. All Claims must reach us before the Thursday, 29th November, 1934, or they will not be recognized. No Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JEBSEN & CO. Agents.
Hong Kong, 29th Oct., 1934. [2965]

CONSIGNEE NOTICES

SERVICES CONTRACTUELS DES
MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

CONSIGNEE NOTICE

S.S. "DARTAGNAN"

ARRIVED HONG KONG ON
SUNDAY, THE 4TH NOV., 1934.
From MARSEILLES, etc.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Steamer are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and placed at their risk in the Godowns of the Hong Kong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co., Ltd., Kowloon, whence delivery can be obtained as the Goods are landed. Goods not cleared within 7 days, including date of arrival, will be subject to Rent. All Claims must be sent to the Under-surveyor before Wednesday, 14th Nov., 1934, or they will not be recognized. Damaged packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignees and the Company's Surveyors, Messrs. Goddard & Douglas, at 10 a.m. on Friday, the 9th Nov., 1934. Consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined by the Company's Surveyors. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns. No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever. R. OHL Agent.
Hong Kong, 4th Nov., 1934. [2982]

COMPAGNIE DES
MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

CONSIGNEE NOTICE

S.S. "SI-KIANG"

ARRIVED HONG KONG ON TUESDAY, THE 30TH OCTOBER, 1934.
FROM ROTTERDAM, ANTWERP, HAVRE, LONDON, etc.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Steamer are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and placed at their risk in the Godowns of the Hong Kong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co., Ltd., Kowloon, whence delivery can be obtained as the Goods are landed. Goods not cleared within 7 days, including date of arrival, will be subject to Rent. All Claims must be sent to the Under-surveyor before Thursday, the 8th November, 1934, or they will not be recognized. Damaged packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignees and the Company's Surveyors, Messrs. Goddard & Douglas, at 10 a.m. on Monday, the 5th November, 1934. Consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined by the Company's Surveyors. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns. No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever. R. OHL Agent.
Hong Kong, 30th Oct., 1934. [2967]

PRINCE LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

FROM
NEW YORK AND LOS ANGELES

THE Motor Vessel "CHINESE PRINCE" having arrived from the above Port on 3rd instant, Consignees of Cargo are hereby notified that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Godowns of the Hong Kong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co., Ltd., Kowloon, whence delivery can be obtained as the Goods are landed. Goods not cleared within 7 days, including date of arrival, will be subject to Rent. All Claims must be sent to the Under-surveyor before Friday, the 9th instant, 1934, at 10 a.m. All Claims must be presented within 10 days of the vessel's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognized. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 10th instant, 1934, will be subject to Rent. No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by FURNESS (P&O) LTD. 4th Floor, King's Building, Commercial Road. Dial 2516.
Hong Kong, 3rd November, 1934. [2968]

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

AMOI, SWATOW, HOIHOW & SHANGHAI	"ANSHUN"	On 6th Nov., 8 a.m.
NINGPO & SHANGHAI	"YINGCHOW"	On 8th Nov., 5 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SOOCHOW"	On 7th Nov., 10 a.m.
AMOI & SHANGHAI	"TSINAN"	On 7th Nov., 5 p.m.
NINGPO & SHANGHAI	"NINGHAI"	On 8th Nov., 5 p.m.
SWATOW, AMOI & SHANGHAI	"KIUNGCHOW"	On 9th Nov., 10 a.m.
HOIHOW, PAKHOI & HAIKONG	"YOOHONG"	On 9th Nov., Noon
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SHANTUNG"	On 11th Nov., 10 a.m.
SWATOW, FOOCHOW, WEIHAIRAI, CHEFOO & TIENTSIN	"HUNAN"	On 11th Nov., 10 a.m.
SWATOW & BANGKOK	"KIUNGCHOW"	On 11th Nov., Noon
FOOCHOW, SHANGHAI, DAIKIN & NEWCHANG	"TAMING"	On 11th Nov., 5 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SINKIANG"	On 14th Nov., 1 a.m.
AMOI & SHANGHAI	"TAIYUAN"	On 14th Nov., 5 p.m.
SWATOW, AMOI & SHAN KAI	"K'WANGTUNG"	On 15th Nov., 10 a.m.
HOIHOW, PAKHOI & HAIKONG	"KINGYUAN"	On 15th Nov., 3 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SUNNING"	On 15th Nov., 10 a.m.
FOOCHOW, SHANGHAI, DAIKIN & NEWCHANG	"HUPEH"	On 18th Nov., 1 a.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SUIYANG"	On 22nd Nov., 10 a.m.
AMOI & SHANGHAI	"TSINAN"	On 22nd Nov., 5 p.m.

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CHANGTE	11 Dec.	18 Dec.	21 Dec.	6 Jan.
TAIPING	4 Jan.	11 Jan.	13 Jan.	27 Jan.
CHANGTE	8 Feb.	15 Feb.	18 Feb.	6 Mar.

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Anshun, B. & S., November 6.
Haining, Douglas, November 6.
Taishan, B. & S., November 7.
Huiyang, Douglas, November 9.
Kuangchow, B. & S., November 9.
Haiching, Douglas, November 13.
Taiyuan, B. & S., November 14.
Takada, B.I. (Apar), November 15.
Kwangtung, B. & S., November 16.
Kunwang, Jardine's, November 18.

Chefoo.

Hopsang, Jardine's, November 11.
Hunan, B. & S., November 11.

Daiyu.

Patroclus, B. & S., November 10.
Rames, Jebson's, November 10.
Taming, B. & S., November 11.
Trier, Melchers, November 17.
Hupei, B. & S., November 17.
Sauerland, Jebson's, November 22.
Trave, Melchers, November 28.

Fochow.

Haining, Douglas, November 6.
Huiyang, Douglas, November 9.
Hopsang, Jardine's, November 11.
Hunan, B. & S., November 11.
Taming, B. & S., November 11.
Haiching, Douglas, November 13.
Hupei, B. & S., November 18.

Newchwang.

Taming, B. & S., November 11.
Hupei, B. & S., November 18.

Ningpo.

Ninghai, B. & S., November 6.

Otaru.

Bhutan, P. & O., November 10.

Shanghai and Japan.

Yasukuni Maru, N.Y.K., November 7.
Tancard, Thoresen's, November 8.
Malaya, Manners', November 9.
Pres. Jackson, A.M. Line, November 9.
Rames, Jebson's, November 10.
Adriatic, B. & S., November 11.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., November 11.
Takada, B.I. (Apar), November 15.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 16.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., November 18.
Ranpura, P. & O., November 18.
Trier, Melchers, November 17.
Athos II, Messageries', November 18.
Kunwang, Jardine's, November 18.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, November 20.
Tamura, Gilman's, November 20.
Sauerland, Jebson's, November 22.
Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 23.
Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, Nov. 23.
Bardwan, P. & O., November 23.
Nora Maersk, Jebson's, November 25.
Trave, Melchers, November 28.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., November 30.
Peter Maersk, Jebson's, November 30.

SHANGHAI AND VIA PORTS.

Ninghai, B. & S., November 6.
Kunwang, Jardine's, November 7.
Soochow, B. & S., November 7.
Taishan, B. & S., November 7.
Kuangchow, B. & S., November 9.
Patroclus, B. & S., November 9.
Shantung, B. & S., November 11.
Taming, B. & S., November 11.
Norviken, Jardine's, November 12.
Foonhing, Jardine's, November 14.
Sinkiang, B. & S., November 14.
Taiyuan, B. & S., November 14.
Kwangtung, B. & S., November 16.
Hellas, Thoresen's, November 18.
Sunning, B. & S., November 18.
Hupei, B. & S., November 18.
Sunning, B. & S., November 18.

Swatow.

Anshun, B. & S., November 6.
Haining, Douglas, November 6.
Kunwang, Jardine's, November 7.
Soochow, B. & S., November 7.
Huiyang, Douglas, November 9.
Kuangchow, B. & S., November 9.
Hiram, Thoresen's, November 11.
Hopsang, Jardine's, November 11.
Hunan, B. & S., November 11.
Kuangchow, B. & S., November 11.
Shantung, B. & S., November 11.
Norviken, Jardine's, November 12.
Foonhing, Jardine's, November 14.
Sinkiang, B. & S., November 14.
Kwangtung, B. & S., November 16.
Hellas, Thoresen's, November 18.
Sunning, B. & S., November 18.
Hupei, B. & S., November 18.
Sunning, B. & S., November 18.

Taku Bar.

Patroclus, B. & S., November 10.
Rames, Jebson's, November 10.
Trier, Melchers, November 17.
Sauerland, Jebson's, November 22.
Trave, Melchers, November 28.

Tientsin.

Hopsang, Jardine's, November 11.
Hunan, B. & S., November 11.

Tientsin.

Kunwang, Jardine's, November 7.
Soochow, B. & S., November 7.
Patroclus, B. & S., November 10.
Rames, Jebson's, November 10.
Shantung, B. & S., November 11.
Norviken, Jardine's, November 12.
Foonhing, Jardine's, November 14.
Sinkiang, B. & S., November 14.
Trier, Melchers, November 17.
Sunning, B. & S., November 18.
Trave, Melchers, November 28.

Wei Hai Wei.

Hunan, B. & S., November 11.

EASTWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO N. AND SOUTH AMERICA

Bathia.

Tai Ping, Dodwell's, November 18.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, November 20.

Baltimore.

Glaucus, B. & S., November 9.
Nora Maersk, Jebson's, November 25.

Boston and New York.

Glaucus, B. & S., November 9.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, November 18.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, November 20.
Nora Maersk, Jebson's, November 25.

Cristobal.

Tai Ping, Dodwell's, November 18.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, November 20.

Havana.

Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, November 20.

Honolulu.

Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., November 13.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., November 16.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, November 20.

Los Angeles.

Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., November 14.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, November 18.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, November 20.
Cornelle, Bank Line, November 25.
Nora Maersk, Jebson's, November 25.

Panama.

Tai Ping, Dodwell's, November 18.
Nora Maersk, Jebson's, November 25.

Philadelphia.

Glaucus, B. & S., November 9.
Nora Maersk, Jebson's, November 25.

Portland and Puget Sound.

Cornelle, Bank Line, November 25.

San Francisco.

Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., November 13.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, November 20.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, November 18.
Cornelle, Bank Line, November 25.
Nora Maersk, Jebson's, November 25.

Seattle.

Pres. Jackson, A.M. Line, November 9.
Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, Nov. 23.

Vancouver, B.C.

Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., November 16.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., November 30.

Victoria, B.C.

Pres. Jackson, A.M. Line, November 9.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., November 16.
Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, Nov. 23.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., November 30.

SOUTHWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS, MANILA, AUSTRALIA.

Australian Ports, East and West.

Agamemnon, B. & S., November 7.
Tai Ping, B. & S., November 16.
Sarpedon, B. & S., November 21.
Tanda, E. & A.S.S. Co., Nov. 30.

Bali.

Tjibadak, J. C. J. Line, November 13.

Bangkok.

Agamemnon, B. & S., November 7.
Sarpedon, B. & S., November 21.

Bangkok.

Bintang, Manners', November 9.
Hiram, Thoresen's, November 11.
Kuangchow, B. & S., November 11.
Hellas, Thoresen's, November 18.
Hermad, Thoresen's, November 23.

Batavia.

Agamemnon, B. & S., November 7.
Tjilalak, J. C. J. Line, November 6.
Glaucus, B. & S., November 9.
Chinese Prince, Furness, November 13.
Sarpedon, B. & S., November 21.

Brisbane.

Tai Ping, B. & S., November 16.
Tanda, E. & A.S.S. Co., Nov. 30.

Bromo.

Agamemnon, B. & S., November 7.
Sarpedon, B. & S., November 21.

Cebu.

Tai Ping, B. & S., November 16.

Derby.

Sarpedon, B. & S., November 21.

Fremantle.

Agamemnon, B. & S., November 7.
Sarpedon, B. & S., November 21.

Haiphong.

Yochow, B. & S., November 9.

Hobart.

Tanda, E. & A.S.S. Co., Nov. 30.

Hokow.

Anshun, B. & S., November 6.
Bintang, Manners', November 9.
Yochow, B. & S., November 9.

Macassar.

Chinese Prince, Furness, November 13.
Tjibadak, J. C. J. Line, November 13.

Madang.

Friderun, Melchers, December 5.

Manila.

Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., November 9.
Glaucus, B. & S., November 9.

Pres. Van Buren, Dollar's, Nov. 10.
Chinese Prince, Furness, November 13.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, Nov. 23.
Tjibadak, J. C. J. Line, November 13.
Tai Ping, B. & S., November 16.
Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, Nov. 22.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, Nov. 24.
Tanda, E. & A.S.S. Co., Nov. 30.
Nanking, Gilman's, December 1.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., December 7.

Melbourne.

Tai Ping, B. & S., November 16.
Tanda, E. & A.S.S. Co., Nov. 30.

Pahlo.

Yochow, B. & S., November 9.

Rabat.

Tanda, E. & A.S.S. Co., Nov. 30.
Friderun, Melchers, December 5.

Sandakan.

Hinsang, Jardine's, November 22.

Semarang.

Chinese Prince, Furness, November 13.

Singapore.

Chinese Prince, Furness, November 13.
Tjibadak, J. C. J. Line, November 13.

South Sea Islands.

Friderun, Melchers, December 5.

Tahiti.

Tai Ping, B. & S., November 16.
Tanda, E. & A.S.S. Co., Nov. 30.

Towayville.

Tai Ping, B. & S., November 16.

WESTWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO EUROPE, AFRICA, ETC.

Aden.

Chenonceaux, Messageries', Nov. 8.
Agamemnon, B. & S., November 7.
Bhutan, P. & O., November 10.

Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., November 10.

Chitral, P. & O., November 17.

Sarpedon, B. & S., November 21.

Katori Maru, N.Y.K., November 24.

Alexandria.

Pres. Van Buren, Dollar's, Nov. 10.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, Nov. 24.

Amoy.

Nanking, Gilman's, December 1.

Amsterdam.

Nanking, Gilman's, December 1.

Antwerp.

Bhutan, P. & O., November 10.
Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., November 10.
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., November 24.
Tigre, Thoresen's, November 25.

Barcelona.

Tigre, Thoresen's, November 25.

Beyrouth.

Toyouka Maru, N.Y.K., November 16.

Bombay.

Pres. Van Buren, Dollar's, Nov. 10.
Ginyo Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 12.
Jeypore, P. & O., November 14.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, Nov. 24.

Boston and New York.

Glaucus, B. & S., November 9.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar's, Nov. 10.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, Nov. 24.

Brisbane.

Wiegand, Melchers, November 11.

Calcutta.

Kutsang, Jardine's, November 8.
Tanshima Maru, N.Y.K., November 8.
Tama, B.I. (Apar), November 9.
Penang Maru, N.Y.K., November 15.
Sirdhau, B.I. (Apar), November 24.
Hakodate Maru, N.Y.K., November 29.

Cassablanca.

Bhutan, P. & O., November 10.

Colonbo.

Chenonceaux, Messageries', Nov. 6.
Bhutan, P. & O., November 10.
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Shipping News

Daily Statement, Clearances, Ships In Harbour, etc.

YESTERDAY'S FREIGHT RETURNS

IMPORTS 4,300 TONS
THROUGH CARGO
9,700 TONS

The returns, shown at the Harbour Office of vessels carrying cargo to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday were:—

British	Cargo for Through	H.K.	Ports.
Soochow.	—	763	—
Chung King.	—	2,000	—
Tsinan.	Amoy 270	550	—
Hai Ning.	Swatow 250	—	—
	520	3,313	—
Dutch	—	—	—
Tjlsalak.	Amoy 72	632	—
	72	632	—
French	—	—	—
D'Artagnan.	Salgon 491	1,384	—
Canton.	Haiphong 230	—	—
	721	1,384	—
German	—	—	—
Saale.	Shanghai 45	3,000	—
	45	3,000	—
Norwegian	—	—	—
Hai Lee.	Holhow 2,500	—	—
	2,500	—	—
Chinese	—	—	—
Shun Lee.	Hongay 500	1,400	—
	500	1,400	—
Total	4,358	9,729	—

ASIATIC DECK PASSENGERS

The following vessels brought Asiatic deck passengers to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday:—

Soochow (Br.). Canton	78
Tsinan (Br.). Amoy	117
Hai Ning (Br.). Swatow	378
Tjlsalak (Dut.). Amoy	116
D'Artagnan (Fr.). Haiphong	128
Canton (Fr.). Haiphong	45
Hai Lee (Nor.). Holhow	458
Total	1,320

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES

The arrivals and departures during the period under review were:—

	Arr.	Dep.
British	4	6
Dutch	1	0
French	2	1
German	1	1
Norwegian	1	2
Japanese	0	2
Chinese	1	0
Total	10	12

ARRIVALS

4TH NOVEMBER

Yu Shun, Chinese steamer, 1,079 tons, Captain C. C. Chiang, from Shanghai, C. M. S. N. Wharf.—C.M.S.N. & Co.
Tjlsalak, Dutch steamer, 3,614 tons, Captain J. A. V. d. Kolk, from Shanghai via Amoy, buoy No. A7.—J. C. J. Line.
Ou Chao, Portuguese steamer, 322 tons, Captain Souza, from K. C. Wan, buoy No. B9.—Tal Fung & Co.
Tsinau, British steamer, 2,100 tons, Captain C. H. Jones, from Amoy, buoy No. B14.—B. & S.
Chung King, British steamer, 1,311 tons, Captain J. R. Nisbet, from Saigon, buoy No. B21.—B. & S.

5TH NOVEMBER

Soochow, British steamer, 1,594 tons, Captain J. B. Bruce, from Canton, buoy No. B20.—Butterfield & Swire.
Hiram, Norwegian steamer, 1,103 tons, Captain T. Olsen, from Swatow, buoy No. B11.—Thoresen & Co.
Nanning, British steamer, 1,486 tons, Captain Wm. Christie, from Swatow, buoy No. B15.—Butterfield & Swire.
Klungchow, British steamer, 1,545 tons, Captain J. W. Jenkins, from Swatow, buoy No. B3.—Butterfield & Swire.
Sensan Maru, Japanese steamer, 1,588 tons, Captain K. Ishikawa, from Yungkow, buoy No. B25.—D. K. K.
Vooyang, Chinese steamer, 1,917 tons, Captain K. W. Nyquist, from Canton, C.M.S.N. Wharf.—C.M.S.N. & Co.
Manila Maru, Japanese steamer, 5,636 tons, Captain C. Iwasa, from Moji, buoy No. A8.—Osaka Shosen Kaisha.

CLEARANCES

5TH NOVEMBER

Tsinau, for Canton.
Hai Lee, for Swatow.
Nanning, for Canton.
Vooyang, for Swatow.
Yushun, for Canton.
Shun Lee, for Canton.
Manila Maru, for Singapore.
Hydrangea, for Swatow.
Chung King, for Shanghai.
Tanda, for Shanghai.

SHIPPING MOVEMENTS

The s.s. Agamemnon (Butterfield & Swire) will arrive from Shanghai to-day (due to sail for Marseilles, London, Rotterdam, Hamburg and Glasgow via Singapore, Port of Spain, Penang, Colombo, Aden and Suez on 7th instant at noon).

The B.I.S.N. Co. Ltd. s.s. Talma (Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co. Agents) left Moji for this Port on the 4th instant p.m., and is due here on the 8th instant p.m.

The B.I. Steam Ship Talma (Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co. Agents) will leave for Singapore, Port Swettenham, Penang and Calcutta on or about Saturday, 10th November, 1934, at 10.30 a.m.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

Derelict Junk Dangerous To Navigation

The Harbour Master has issued a notice to mariners to the effect that the master of the British steamer, the King Yuan reported having sighted an upturned junk with part of mast and hull visible, while he was on his voyage to this port.

The position of the derelict, which is considered to be a danger to navigation is given as Latitude 22 degrees 49 minutes North and Longitude 116 degrees 15 minutes East.

OFFICERS' MOVEMENTS

Mr. W. Mercer has gone Second Engineer Officer, s.s. Kaltangata.
Mr. A. Quinn has gone Second Engineer, s.s. Kamona.
Mr. Towns has gone Chief Officer, s.s. Kamo.
Mr. Dimberline, formerly Chief Engineer of s.s. Borneo has returned from a visit to Australia and reports a depressed state still exists there, with little opportunity for persons seeking employment in shipping circles.

STEAMER CHANGES HANDS

It is understood that the steamer Borneo which was formerly owned and operated by the Shun Tai S.S. Co. and which was sold by them last March to a Canton syndicate for \$105,000, has been purchased by a local firm for a price in the vicinity of \$55,000.

The vessel will probably arrive here in a month's time. She is at present laid up in Kwan Chow Wan.

The Borneo is a ship of 2168 tons, built in 1902 by Henry Koch of Lubeck, and was one of the ships seized in Manila when the U.S.A. entered the war.

SHIPS IN HARBOUR

WHARVES

Kowloon:—Tanda.
Douglas Laprak:—Hai Ning.
Chiou On:—Hydrangea.

DOCKS

Kowloon:—Dalemore, Bintang.
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BUOYS

No. A2—Agamemnon.
No. A7—Tjlsalak.
No. B3—Klungchow.
No. B4—Halvadan.
No. B5—Arden.
No. B6—Canton.
No. B9—Ou Chao.
No. B10—Lyemmoon.
No. B12—Hai Lee.
No. B14—Tsinau.
No. B15—Anshun.
No. B16—G. G. Paul Doumer.
No. B17—Prosper.
No. B18—Nanning.
No. B20—Soochow.
No. B21—Chung King.
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"CHITRAL"	15,000	17th Nov.	Marseilles and London.
"BHABHA"	6,100	24th Nov.	Bombay, Marr, Havre, L'don, H'bg, R'm, A'werp, & Hull
"DARTMOUTH"	15,000	1st Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
"BOUDAN"	7,000	8th Dec.	Bombay, Marr, Havre, L'don, H'bg, R'm, A'werp, & Hull
"RANPURA"	17,000	15th Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
"CORFU"	15,000	29th Dec.	Bombay, Marr, Havre, L'don, H'bg, R'm, A'werp, & Hull
"BURDWAN"	4,000	5th Jan.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
"RANCHI"	17,000	19th Jan.	Bombay, Marr, Havre, L'don, H'bg, R'm, A'werp, & Hull
"BALDARA"	15,000	29th Jan.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
"SOMALI"	4,000	2nd Feb.	Bombay, Marr, Havre, L'don, H'bg, R'm, A'werp, & Hull
"RAWALPINDI"	17,000	9th Feb.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
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Steamship	Tons	From Hongkong	Destination
"TAKADA"	7,000	15th Nov.	Amoy, Shanghai, Kobe & Osaka
"RANPURA"	17,000	18th Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"BURDWAN"	6,000	24th Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"TILAWA"	10,000	24th Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"CORFU"	15,000	30th Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"NANKIN"	7,000	30th Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"RANCHI"	17,000	1st Dec.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
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